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Sammy Kaye Uses Home Recordo!



Sammy Kaye, genial dispenser of swing and sway rhythm is delighted with Home Recordo

You, Too, Can Make Your Own Records If You Sing or Play an Instrument



Clyde Burke, vocalist in Sammy Kaye's orchestra, making a Home Recordo record.

MAKE YOUR OWN RECORDS AT HOME

Before spending money for an audition, make a "home record" of your voice or musical instrument and mail it to a reliable agency . . . you might be one of the lucky ones to find fame and success through this easy method of bringing your talents before the proper authorities.



Frank Haendle, arranger with Sammy Kaye, listens to a home recording of an original arrangement.

Everything is included. Nothing else to buy and nothing else to pay. You get complete HOME RECORDING UNIT, which includes special recording needle, playing needles, 6 two-sided unbreakable records. Also guide record and spiral feeding attachment and combination recording and playback unit suitable for recording a skit, voice, instrument or radio broadcast. **ADDITIONAL 2-SIDED BLANK RECORDS COST ONLY \$.75 per dozen.**

OPERATES ON ANY A.C. OR D.C. ELECTRIC PHONOGRAPHS RECORD PLAYERS O-PHONO COMBINATIONS Old or New Type PHONOGRAPHS and PORTABLES

From Wm. C., California:
I have made several records and they have turned out swell.

A.R.G. writes:
I received my Home Recordo and am having lots of enjoyment with it.

It sure is nice when you can make a record and afterwards listen to yourself play.

H.M. of Kentucky says:
Thanks for the Home

Recordo Set—it is fine. B.M. orders some records saving.

Your recorder was well worth waiting for. I have enjoyed it as well as my friends.

A.D.S. of Ohio well pleased and writes:

The Home Recordo unit I just received is proving itself entirely satisfactory. The simplicity with which it operates is remarkable.

Now a new invention permits you to make a professional-like recording of your own singing, talking or instrument playing. Any one can quickly and easily make phonograph records and play them back at once. Record your voice or your friends' voices. If you play an instrument, you can make a record and you and your friends can hear it as often as you like. You can also record orchestras or favorite radio programs right off the air and replay them whenever you wish.



IT'S LOTS OF FUN TOO! HAVING RECORDING PARTIES!

You'll get a real thrill out of HOME RECORDING. Surprise your friends by letting them hear your voice or playing right from a record. Record a snappy talking feature. Record jokes and become the life of the party. Great to help train your voice and to cultivate speech. Nothing to practice . . . you start recording at once . . . no other mechanical or electrical devices needed . . . everything necessary included. Nothing else to buy. Just sing, speak or play and HOME RECORDO unit, which operates on any electric or old type phonograph, will do the recording on special blank records we furnish. You can immediately play the records back as often as you wish. Make your home movie a talking picture with HOME RECORDO. Simply make the record while filming and play back while showing the picture.

J. H. W. of Nebraska writes:

Have had wonderful results with Home Recordo so am sending for more blanks. The popularity of Home Recordo at home here has caused a considerable shortage of blank records.

Miss Lillian C. of New

York says:

Your recording outfit was received all O. K. and proved to be all you claim it to be.

Robert Dodge, whose business is to tabulate Sammy Kaye's vast collection of popular hits, is shown filing one of his own recordings.

SEND NO MONEY! HURRY COUPON! START RECORDING AT ONCE!

COMPLETE OUTFIT INCLUDING SIX TWO-SIDED BLANK RECORDS ONLY

\$2.98

HOME RECORDING CO.
Studio Song Hits DP,
11 WEST 17TH STREET, NEW YORK

HOME RECORDING CO.,
STUDIO SONG HITS DP, 11 West 17th St.
New York, N. Y.

Send entire HOME RECORDING OUTFIT (including 6 two-sided records) described above, by return mail. I will pay postman \$2.98, plus postage, on arrival. (Send cash or money order now for \$3.00 and save postage.)

Send . . . additional blank records at \$.75 per dozen.

Name

Address

City and State

Note: Canadian and Foreign \$3.50 cash with order

RANG-A-TANG

THE WONDER DOG



BECAUSE OF HIS ALMOST-HUMAN BRAIN, HIS SUPER-KEEN EYES, SENSITIVE EARS AND UNERRING SENSE OF SMELL, *RANG-A-TANG* HAS EARNED A NATION-WIDE REPUTATION AS "THE WONDER DOG."

NOW, ACCOMPANIED BY HIS MASTER, HY SPEED, THE ACE DETECTIVE, *RANG-A-TANG* ARRIVES IN HOLLYWOOD FOR A CONFERENCE WITH MAMMOTH PICTURES, INC.....

I ASKED YOU TO COME HERE BECAUSE I WANTED TO SIGN THIS FAMOUS DOG FOR A PICTURE! BUT NOW.....

WHAT'S THE TROUBLE, MR. WYNGOLD?



ONE THING AFTER ANOTHER IS DELAYING OUR PICTURES! WE'RE ABOUT TO GO BANKRUPT!

I'VE HEARD RUMORS! SOMETHING TO DO WITH THAT "BOY WONDER" YOU HIRED?



THAT'S RIGHT! NAWSON SWELLES, HIS NAME IS! EVER SINCE HE CAME HERE, AWFUL THINGS HAVE HAPPENED!

HM! LET'S HAVE A TALK WITH HIM! C'MON RANG!



THE WONDER DOG MEETS THE BOY WONDER!

IT'S FUNNY THAT THESE ACCIDENTS BEGAN TO HAPPEN WHEN YOU CAME HERE, SWELLES!



LOTS OF PEOPLE ARE JEALOUS. THEY'D LIKE TO GET RID OF ME!



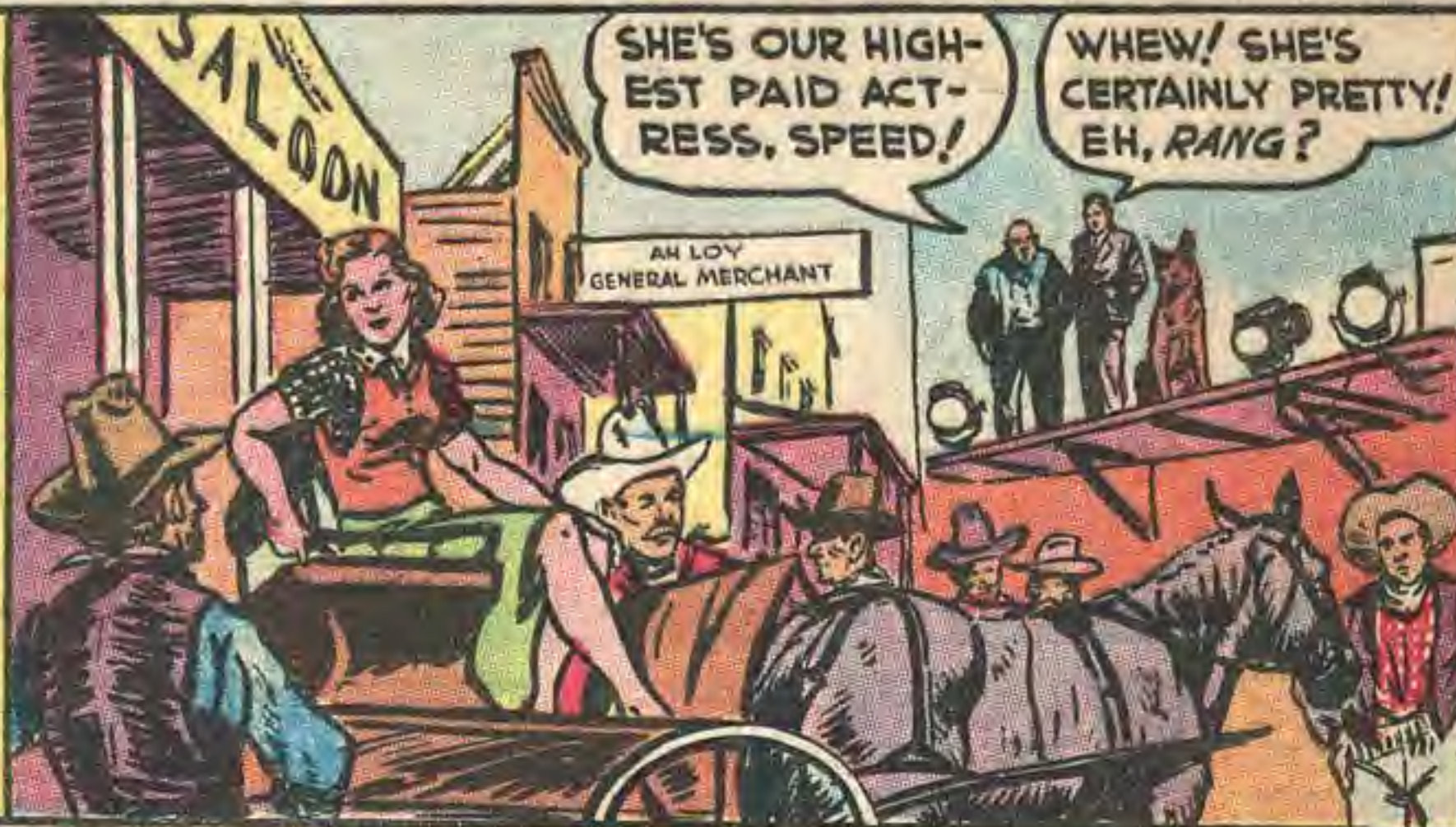
**SWELLES
LEAVES
TO
DIRECT
A
PICTURE!**

**HE'S SHOOTING A
WESTERN SEQUENCE
ON SET 21!**

**LET'S DROP AROUND
AND TAKE A
LOOK!**



**ON
SET
21,
BEAU-
TIFUL
TANA
LURNER
AWAITS
HER
GUE....**



**SHE'S OUR HIGH-
EST PAID ACT-
RESS, SPEED!**

**WHEW! SHE'S
CERTAINLY PRETTY!
EH, RANG?**

**SUDDENLY,
A SHOT
RINGS
OUT
AND....**



**THE
HORSE
BREAKS
AWAY!**



STOP 'EM!

**SHE'LL BE
KILLED!**

**HELP!
HELP!**

**THE HORSE WILL
CRASH INTO THE
PAINTED BACK-
DROP ON THE
WALL!**

**GET 'EM,
RANG!**



BUT RANG-A-TANG IS ALREADY ON HIS WAY!



ABREAST OF THE RUNAWAY.....



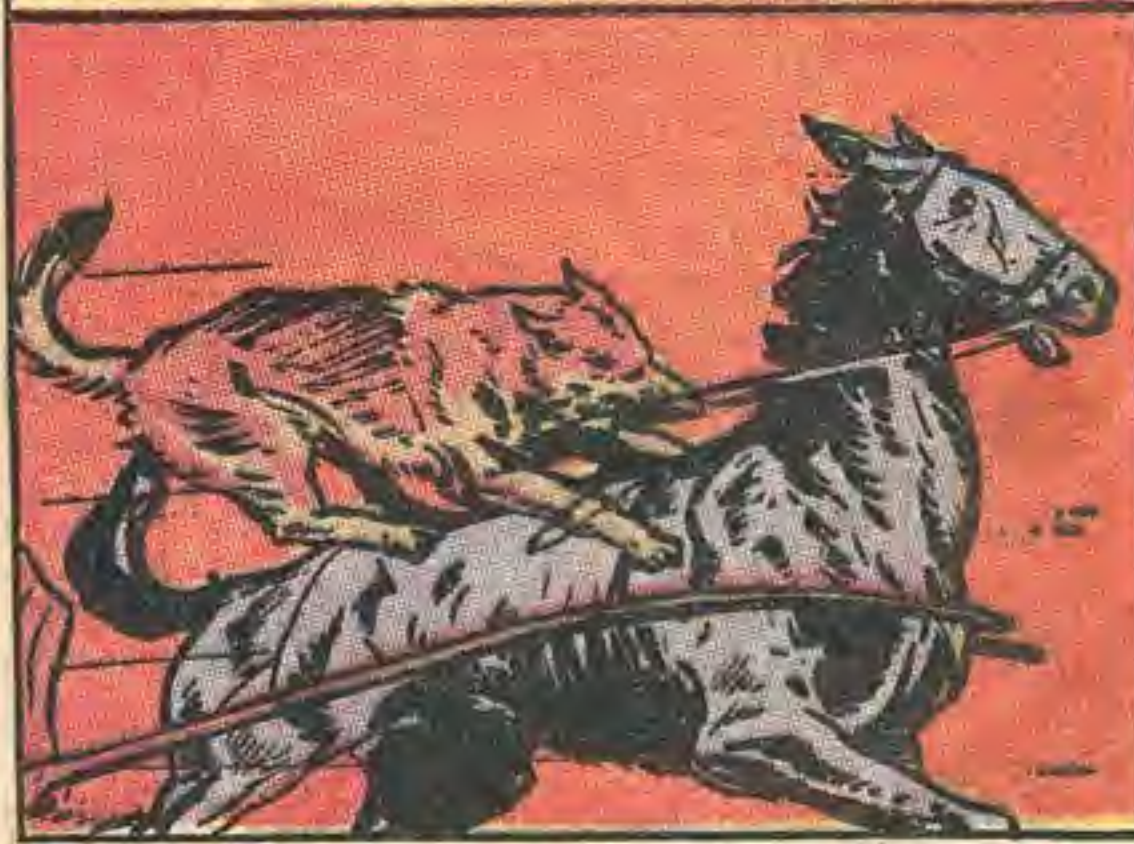
THE WONDER DOG, MAKES A MAGNIFICENT LEAP!.....



AND LANDS SQUARELY ONTO THE HORSE'S BACK!



TUGGING ON THE CHECK REIN.....



RANG-
A-
TANG
BRINGS
THE
HORSE
TO A
STOP
!

WHAT A
DOG!
WOW!

YOU SAVED
MY LIFE!

IF I'D ONLY HAD
MY CAMERA
TURNING!

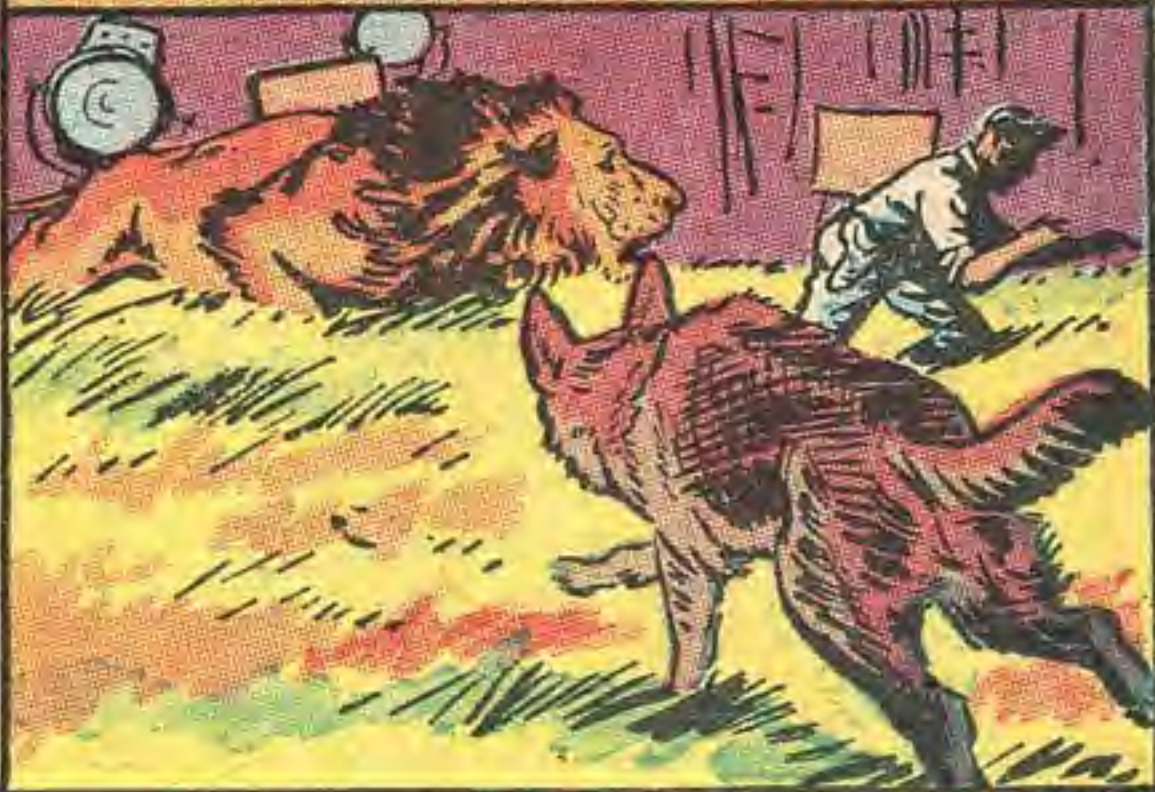




AS THE BEAST LUNGES AT THE STAR.....



RANG-A-TANG SPRINGS INTO ACTION!



THE LION WHIRLS SWIFTLY,
BUT.....



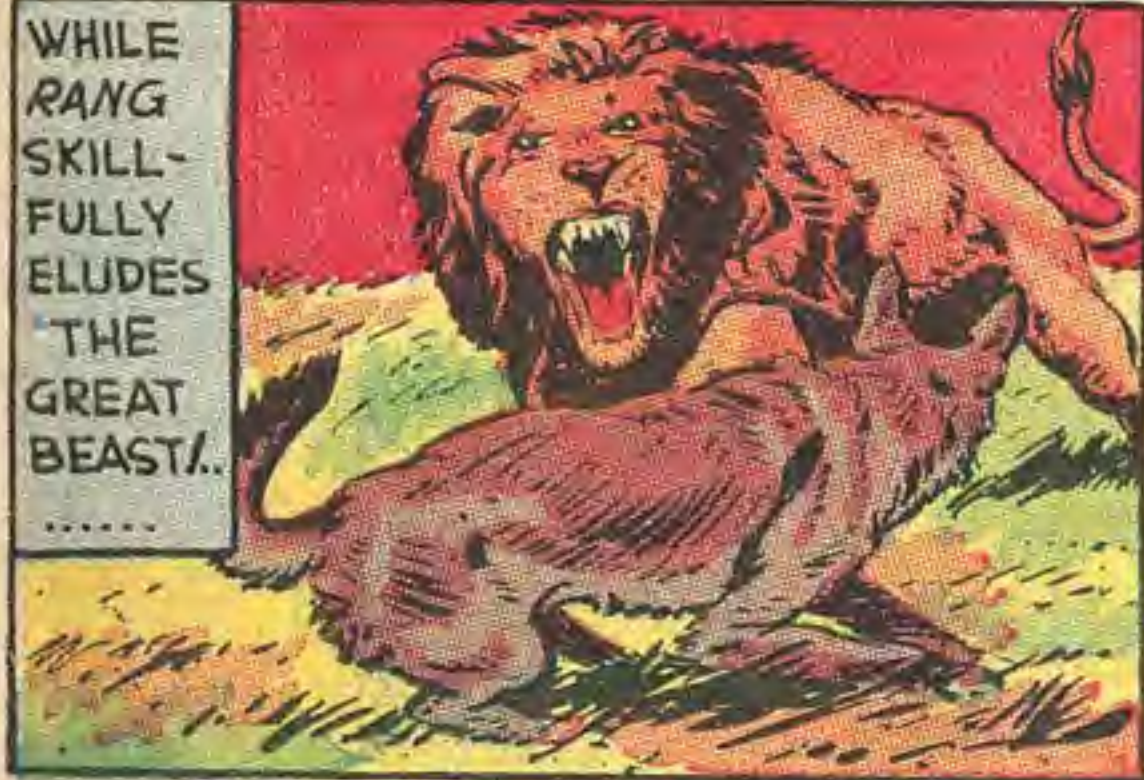
THE WONDER DOG IS A
MATCH FOR HIM!



MEANWHILE.....

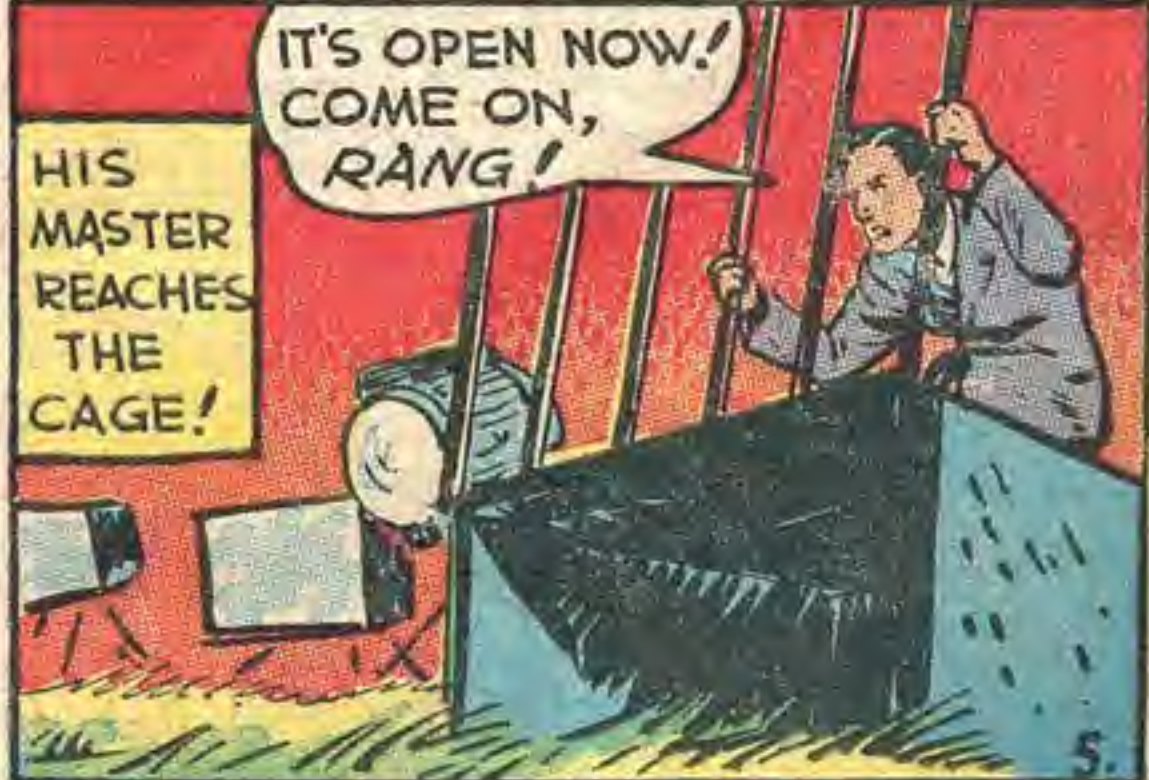


WHILE
RANG
SKILL-
FULLY
ELUDES
THE
GREAT
BEAST!..
.....



HIS
MASTER
REACHES
THE
CAGE!

IT'S OPEN NOW!
COME ON,
RANG!



DODGING
AND
SPRINTING,
RANG-A-TANG
DASHES
STRAIGHT
FOR
THE
OPEN
CAGE!



THE WONDER DOG PUTS ON A BURST
OF SPEED.....



AND SUDDENLY COMES TO A DEAD
STOP AS.....



THE
LION
SOMER-
SAULTS
INTO
THE
CAGE!



YOU SAVED TANA'S LIFE,
AND NOW MINE! THANKS
OLD BOY!



SPEED, SOMEONE
MUST HAVE REMOVED
THAT GLASS LAST
NIGHT!



WE'LL HAVE TO
WORK FAST!
THERE'S A
MADMAN LOOSE
SOMEWHERE
IN MAMMOTH
STUDIOS!

LATER.... IN WYNGOLD'S OFFICE.....

I DON'T KNOW
WHAT I'D DO
WITHOUT YOU
AND RANG-A-
TANG!

THANKS! I HAVE A
PLAN I WANT YOU
TO CARRY OUT!



I HAVEN'T A SINGLE CLUE,
BUT I WANT EVERYONE
IN MAMMOTH STUDIOS
TO HEAR THAT
I DO HAVE ONE!

I'LL
ARRANGE
IT! BUT
WHY?



BECAUSE THE PERSON
RESPONSIBLE FOR THESE
ACCIDENTS WILL TRY TO
GET RID OF ME! I'VE
NEVER KNOWN IT TO
FAIL!



SEE TO IT THAT EVERYBODY KNOWS
RANG AND I INTEND TO SPEND
THE NIGHT ROAMING THROUGH
THE STUDIOS!

ALL RIGHT, SPEED!
BUT TAKE CARE
OF THAT DOG!



LATE
THAT
NIGHT

THEY'RE SHOOTING A
MEDIEVAL SEQUENCE
TOMORROW ON SET 14!

NO
SMO



SOMEONE MAY TRY TO
RIG UP AN ACCIDENT
FOR TOMORROW! IF
WE'RE LUCKY, WE MAY
CATCH THEM!



SET
14

SURE LOOKS LIKE PARIS
IN THE 1500'S! EVEN TO
THE GALLOWES! HMM!
I WONDER.....



I'D BETTER INSPECT THIS!
A YOUNG FEATURED PLAY-
ER HAS TO STAND HERE
TOMORROW!



NOTICED
BY HY.....
UNSEEN
HANDS
POISE
A
CORNICE
DIRECTLY
ABOVE
THE
GALLOWS!



SUDDENLY RANG SPRINGS AT HY!

WHAT IN TH- ...



THE NEXT INSTANT!

WOW!
JUST IN
TIME!



STOP!
OR I'LL
SHOOT!

IN A
FLASH,
SPEED
AND
RANG
ARE ON
THEIR
FEET!



BUT THE FIGURE VANISHES!

NO USE, RANG! HE GOT
AWAY! THERE ARE A
HUNDRED EXITS FROM
THIS SET, BACK OF
THAT BUILDING!



THE
NEXT
MORN-
ING
IN
WYN-
GOLD'S
OF-
FICE!

RATHER THAN
RISK ANYBODY'S
LIFE ANY MORE,
I'M GOING TO
CLOSE MAM-
MOTH STUDIOS!

YOU CAN'T
DO THAT!
YOU'LL
THROW
THOUSANDS
OUT OF
WORK!



RANG-A-TANG SAW
THE CULPRIT! IF
ONLY HE COULD
TALK HE COULD
DESCRIBE
HIM!.....

HEY! C'MON! RANG'S
GOT SOMETHING
UP HIS SLEEVE!



HE LEADS THEM TO THE
COSTUME DEPARTMENT!

WHY IS HE
TAKING US
IN HERE?

WE'LL
SOON
FIND
OUT!



SUCH A DOG
I NEVER SAW!



SEARCHING AROUND,
RANG-A-TANG FINDS A
BERET!.....

AND A PAIR OF
GLASSES!.....



THEN
HE
SELECTS
A
PIPE
FROM
A
RACK...
!



SO THAT'S WHO'S
BEEN MAKING THE
MONKEYSHINES!

THERE'S NO
QUESTION
ABOUT IT
NOW!



AND REVEALS THE CRIMINAL!

RANG-A-TANG REVEALS NAWSON SWELLES AS THE CRIMINAL!



BUT WHY SHOULD NAWSON DO THIS TO ME?

TAKE THOSE THINGS OFF RANG AND MEET ME IN TEN MINUTES! I THINK I KNOW!



TEN MINUTES LATER!

YOUR GAME'S UP, SWELLES! YOU'RE UNDER ARREST!



SWELLES SCRAMBLES UP THE FLIMSY SCAFFOLDING!

YOU WON'T GET ME SPEED!



THE BOY WONDER CRASHES TO HIS DEATH IN THE STUDIO THAT MADE HIM FAMOUS!

SPEED, YOU AND THIS WONDERFUL DOG HAVE SAVED THE LIVES OF SEVERAL FINE PEOPLE! BESIDES, YOU'VE ASSURED THE FUTURE OF MAMMOTH STUDIOS!



WHEN RANG PLACED THE GUILT SQUARELY ON SWELLES, I CALLED THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE!



I FOUND THAT SWELLES HAD PURCHASED THE COMPANY HOLDING YOUR MORTGAGES!



SO, HAD HE FORCED YOU INTO BANKRUPTCY, HE WOULD SOON HAVE OWNED MAMMOTH STUDIOS HIMSELF!



YI! TO THINK I ALMOST HAD TO WALK AROUND IN A BARREL!



THE NEXT NIGHT AT A BANQUET IN THEIR HONOR!

GENTLEMEN, I HAVE OFFERED MR. HY SPEED A CONTRACT TO STAR RANG-A-TANG IN A PICTURE!

I'VE PROMISED TO CONSIDER IT CAREFULLY!



DOES RANG-A-TANG BECOME A MOTION PICTURE STAR? FOLLOW THE ADVENTURES OF THE WONDER DOG IN NEXT MONTH'S



THE WIZARD

THE MAN WITH THE SUPER-BRAIN

AND THE SHIELD

G-MAN EXTRAORDINARY

SOLVE THE GREATEST OF PLOTS AGAINST THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IN

TOP-NOTCH COMICS

THE SECRET OF THE **SHIELD** REVEALED IN **SHIELD-WIZARD** comics
WATCH FOR IT AT YOUR NEWSSTAND !!!

THE RANG-A-TANG CLUB

HONOR LEGION

MEMBERSHIP

CARE AND TRAINING OF DOGS



EVERYONE loves a dog. That is because down deep inside, everyone is kind, and because everyone seeks companionship. The old adage "man's best friend is his dog" still holds true.

Do you own a dog? Whether you do or whether you don't, you are entitled to join the RANG-A-TANG CLUB and to become a prospect for charter membership in the RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION.

THE purpose of the RANG-A-TANG CLUB is to have fellowship among dog lovers and dog owners and to promote kindness towards animals. Also, the club wants to help you with any problem concerning your dog. The RANG-A-TANG CLUB'S veterinarian, DR. ALEXANDER SLAWSON will furnish to members of the CLUB absolutely free by mail only, information about the care and training of dogs.

The letter below from Leonard Lane of 387 E. 91st Street, Brooklyn, New York, is an example of the kind of letter that you can write to the RANG-A-TANG CLUB.

Dear Doctor Slawson:

My dog has been sick for a few days. He eats less than before and has lost his pep. He does not respond when I call him the way he used to. He feels very hot to the touch. Last night he vomited up his food. Please tell me how to feed him.

Sincerely yours,

LEONARD LANE.

HY SPEED

c/o Blue Ribbon Comics

160 West Broadway, New York City

Dear Hy Speed:

Please enroll me as a member of the RANG-A-TANG CLUB. I enclose 10c in coin to cover cost of handling. It is understood that I am to receive my membership card and a RANG-A-TANG button.

Name Age.....
(PRINT CLEARLY)

Street Address

City and State.....

OATH

On my honor, I pledge myself to deal kindly with all animals, be they in distress or otherwise. To do a good deed whenever I can. In all places, at all times. I will keep this pledge constantly in my heart and in my mind.

I do so solemnly swear—

Sign name

How to Join THE RANG-A-TANG CLUB

FILL in the coupon which contains the RANG-A-TANG OATH, and mail it to Hy Speed, together with 10c in coin, to cover handling.

Members of the RANG-A-TANG CLUB will receive an embossed membership card and a RANG-A-TANG button, as well as a free copy of Dr. Slawson's Booklet, "Highlights On The Health Of Your Dog and Cat", and the privilege of becoming a charter member in the RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION. Members will also be entitled to receive by mail only, the professional advice of DR. ALEXANDER SLAWSON, Veterinarian, absolutely free.

DO YOU have any questions on the care and training of your dog? If you do, membership in the RANG-A-TANG CLUB entitles you to ask your question, and have it answered by the CLUB'S licensed registered Doctor of Veterinary Medicine. Merely fill out the questionnaire printed below and enclose it with your letter, as well as a stamped self-addressed envelope. This is important because unless these instructions are followed, your question will not be answered. Address your letter to THE RANG-A-TANG CLUB, 160 West Broadway, New York City.

QUESTIONNAIRE

Print Clearly

Name

Address

Breed of Dog.....

Sex of Dog.....

Approximate Weight

Condition of Coat (Hair).....

Eyes Nose

Bowel Functions

Other Remarks

THE RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION

HOW TO QUALIFY



There are *two* ways in which you can be admitted as a charter member of the HONOR LEGION.

1st WAY—In keeping with your RANG-A-TANG Oath of membership, write us a letter relating an exceptional deed you performed involving kindness or courage toward any animal, be it dog, cat, horse, bird, or wild life, and you will be eligible to become a charter member in the RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION.

A—All letters must be certified to by parent or guardian.

B—All those who become Charter Members will have their names published in the pages of BLUE RIBBON COMICS.

C—Outstanding letters will be published on the RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION page.

2nd WAY—Enlist two of your friends as members of the RANG-A-TANG CLUB. Here's how you do it:—

A—Just have them apply for membership to the Club in the same way as you did.

B—Then drop me a postcard giving me their names and addresses.

C—Be sure and write your own name and address on this card so that we can make you a Charter Member of the HONOR LEGION.

Charter members of the RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION will receive a beautifully engraved HONOR LEGION diploma, suitable for framing, signed by Dr. Alexander Slawson, Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, the author Joe Blair, the artist Ed. Smalle, Jr. and myself.

Just remember this; it is only necessary to do *one* of the above two things to obtain Charter Membership in the RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION. Go to it.

Hy Speed

HERCULES



HERCULES SLAYING THE HYDRA OF LERNA

by El Weller

**MODERN
CHAMPION
OF
JUSTICE**

HERCULES, STRONGEST MAN IN ALL HISTORY, EARNED A PLACE ON MT. OLYMPUS BY WIPING OUT THE EVILS OF ANCIENT GREECE. NOW, ZEUS HAS ORDERED HIM BACK TO EARTH TO RID THE MODERN WORLD OF WARS, GANGSTERS, AND RACKETEERS !!

**THE MAGIC OF ZEUS DRAWS
HERCULES UPWARD THROUGH SPACE!**



**- TO THE HOME OF THE GODS ON
MOUNT OLYMPUS !!**



I HAVE CAUSED YOUR
RETURN, BRAVE
HERCULES, FROM THE
EARTH OF THE
MORTALS!



HAVE I FAILED THE
CAUSE OF HONESTY
AND JUSTICE?



HOURS LATER, IN THE CORRUPT MIDWEST CITY, CAPITAL OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI!



WHOM AM I TO SEE IN THIS CITY?

(A GUY BY DE NAME OF HY DRALERNY.)

YEAH, HERC! HE'S GOT DIS BURG IN DA PALM OF HIS MITT!



IN AN OFFICE BUILDING, NOT FAR FROM THE CAPITAL---

SO YOU'RE LEO NYMIA?

I'M WEARING HIS CLOTHES!



HA! HA! THAT'S A GOOD ONE! WEARING LEO NYMIA'S CLOTHES...YOU MUST BE NYMIA, THEN! GLAD TO MEET YOU!

MAY I ASK THE NATURE OF MY SERVICES HERE?



YEAH! AN ELECTION'S COMIN' OFF SOON AND I WANT IT TO GO THE WAY IT'S SUPPOSED TO GO!

I DON'T QUITE UNDERSTAND!



PUT IT THIS WAY-I'M WORKIN' FOR THE GOVERNOR OF THIS STATE...THE GUY RUNNIN' AGAINST HIM, NAMED HENRY DOYLE, HAS A DAUGHTER, AND I WANT SOMETHIN' TO HAPPEN TO HER!

HE'S A STUBBORN CUSS, BUT HE'S GOT TO PLAY BALL!



LITTLE MAN, IF YOU WISH TO HARM SOMEONE, YOU MUST BE WORKING FOR EVIL FORCES!!

ARE YOU CRAZY? PUT ME DOWN!! I'LL-I'LL...



IF YOU'RE NOT OUT OF TOWN IN AN HOUR YOU'LL BE PUSHIN' UP DAISIES!

GOOD-BYE, DRALERNY! BUT I SHALL SEE YOU SOON !!!





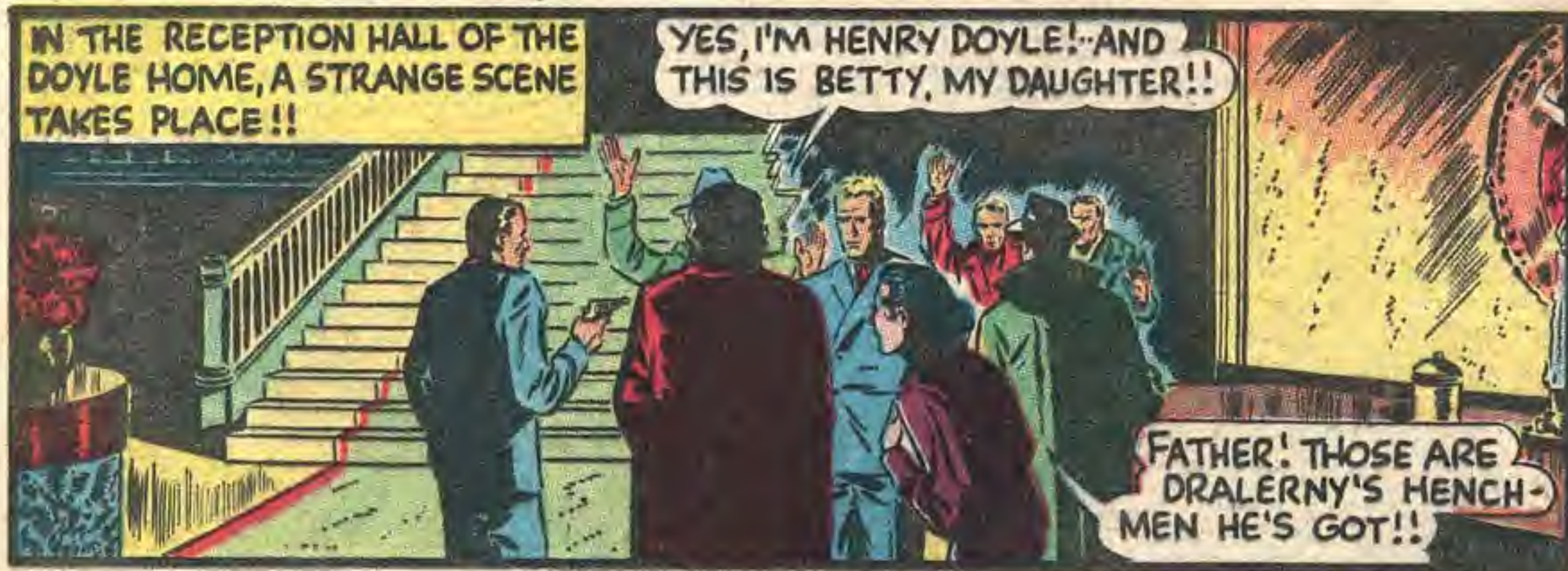
-AND STOPS IT DEAD IN ITS TRACKS !!



...AND DASHES IT AGAINST A TREE !!

GULP! DID YOU SEE THAT !!





LEAVING THE OTHERS TO GUARD DRALERNY'S GANG, HERCULES AND MIKE APPROACH THE CAPITOL BUILDING !!



SINCE DRALERNY MENTIONED THE GOVERNOR, HE TOO MUST BE BAD!!

HERC! LOOK OUT FOR DEM GUARDS !!

I SEE THEM, MICHAEL!

HEY, YOU GUYS GET OUTTA HERE !!



THE GUARD'S BULLETS GLANCE OFF HERCULES' BODY !!

DON'T HARM US, WE ARE YOUR FRIENDS !!



I HOPE YOU KNOW WHAT YOU'RE DOIN', HERC !!

STOP! YOU CAN'T DO THIS

I WANT TO SPEAK WITH THE GOVERNOR !!

WE'LL HAVE YOU IN JAIL FOR THIS !!!



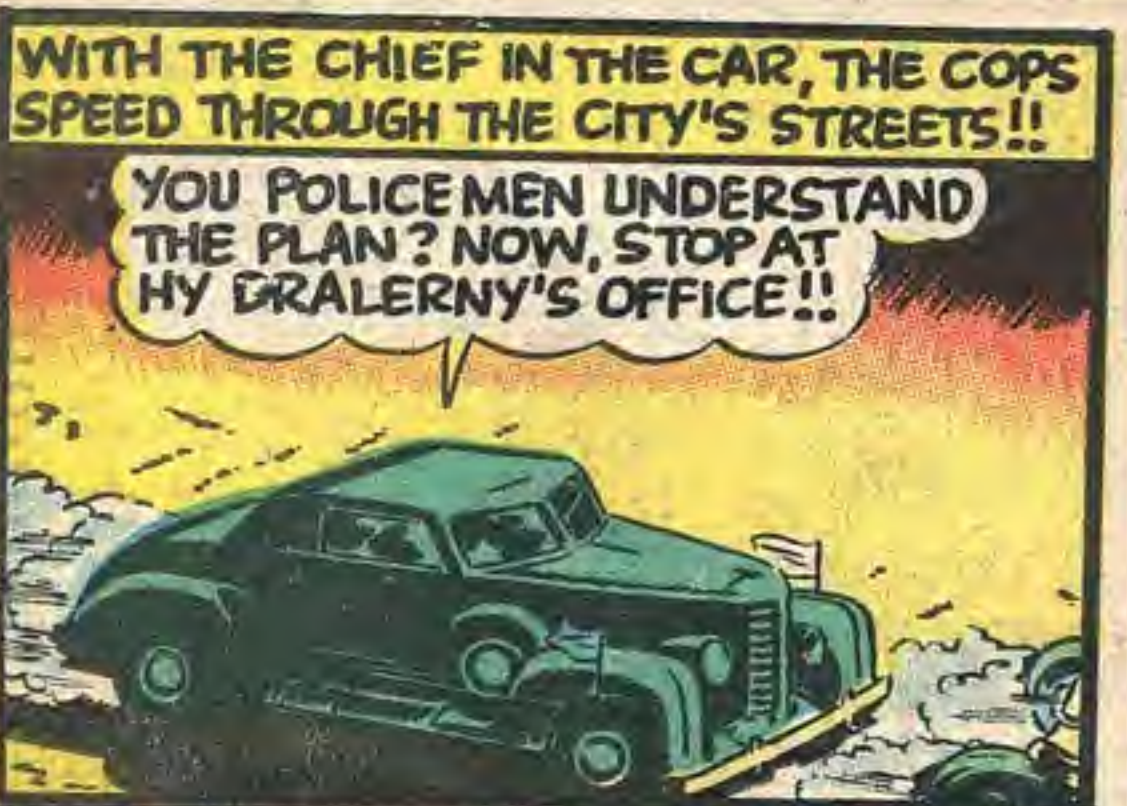
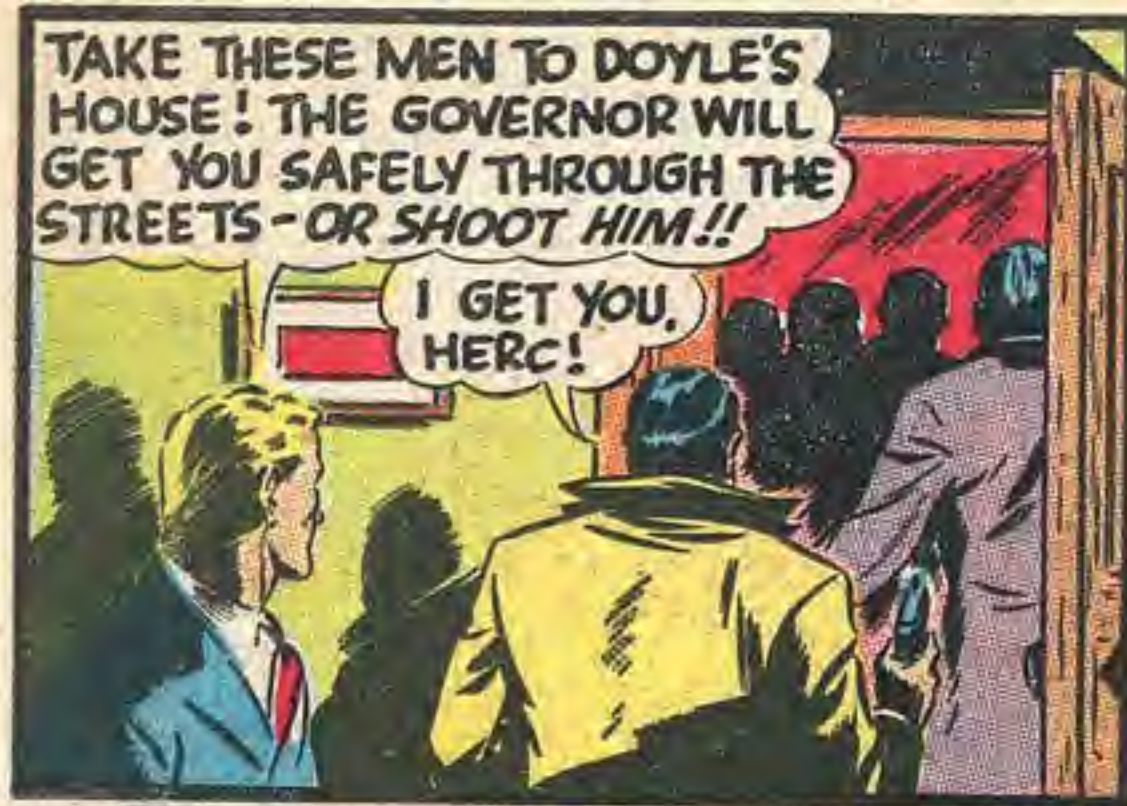
WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS? WHO ARE YOU?

I AM HERCULES! I'VE COME TO TAKE YOU WITH ME !!



YOU'RE COMIN' ALONG, GOV' !!

STOP HIM! HE'S CRAZY! GET THE STATE'S ATTORNEY, GET SOMEBODY !!





YOU SENT YOUR THUGS TO KILL ME! BUT NOW, THE STATE'S ATTORNEY, THE CHIEF OF POLICE, AND SEVERAL OTHERS ARE AT DOYLE'S HOUSE! -AND THE GOVERNOR IS ON HIS WAY!!

SQUEALED, DID THEY, YOU DIRTY...!!



I STILL CONTROL THIS STATE AND THIS TOWN! TAKE THIS!!

BULLETS DO NOT HARM ME! YOUR TIME FOR PUNISHMENT HAS COME!



HERCULES' PLAN SUCCEEDS!

CONTROL THIS STATE, DO YOU! NOT ANY MORE!!

YOU SHALL ALSO FACE THE CHARGE OF ATTEMPTED MURDER!!

THIS ABOUT CLINCHES THE CASE AGAINST THE 'NAMELESS NINE'!!



YOUR FRIENDS ARE WAITING FOR YOU!!

AND WE CALLED THE REPORTERS TOO! OH BOY!!



-AND IF I AM ELECTED, I SHALL ASK HERCULES TO BECOME SPECIAL PROSECUTOR!!

YOU'LL BE GOVERNOR IN A LANDSLIDE!!



MIDWEST NEWS

DOYLE ELECTED GOVERNOR; 'NAMELESS NINE' JAILED!! HERCULES ROUNDS UP CRIMINALS; SENDS DOYLE TO CAPITAL!!



WON'T YOU STAY AS SPECIAL PROSECUTOR TO HELP DAD?

I SHALL SEE, MISS DOYLE! AS LONG AS EVIL AND DISHONESTY LIVE, I FIGHT FOR JUSTICE!



FOLLOW THE THRILLING ADVENTURES OF HERCULES, 'MODERN CHAMPION OF JUSTICE' IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF

COMICS

GYPSY JOHNSON

ADVENTURER



GYPSY JOHNSON, TEXAN SOLDIER OF FORTUNE, NEVER SIDESTEPS DANGER NOR SHIRKS ADVENTURE. BUT NOW, IN FRENCH MOROCCO HE FINDS THAT HE DOES NOT HAVE FAR TO LOOK FOR EITHER!

GYPSY HAS JUST BEEN MUSTERED OUT OF THE FOREIGN LEGION.



WHEW IT'S HOT!

SAY, IT'S DANGEROUS FOR A WHITE GIRL TO BE GOING INTO A JOINT LIKE THAT. I THINK I'LL FOLLOW HER!



THE GIRL SCANS THE PLACE!



YES, SHE WILL BRING A HANDSOME PRICE IN THE SLAVE MARKET.

THE ARABS CAPTURE THE GIRL.



OH! OH! LOOKS LIKE I'M NEEDED!



I DON'T THINK I'LL BOTHER TO KNOCK!



ABOARD A TRAMP STEAMER, ENROUTE FOR AMERICA



THE COWARDLY LEONARD,
DESERTS HIS SISTER!

LEONARD DON'T
LEAVE ME!

LET
THAT
GYPSY
JOHNSON
TAKE CARE
OF YOU!

DOROTHY IS TRAPPED
BY RAGING WATERS,
WHICH FLOOD THE
ENTIRE SHIP.

HELP

GYPSY COMES TO
DOT'S RESCUE.

GOSH!
I'M GLAD I FOUND
YOU. THIS BOAT IS
SINKING FAST. WE'VE
GOT TO HURRY!

...HE CARRIES HER OUT ON DECK—

LEONARD!
WHERE
IS
HE!

HALF WAY TO
CHINA, AT THE
RATE HE WAS
GOING!

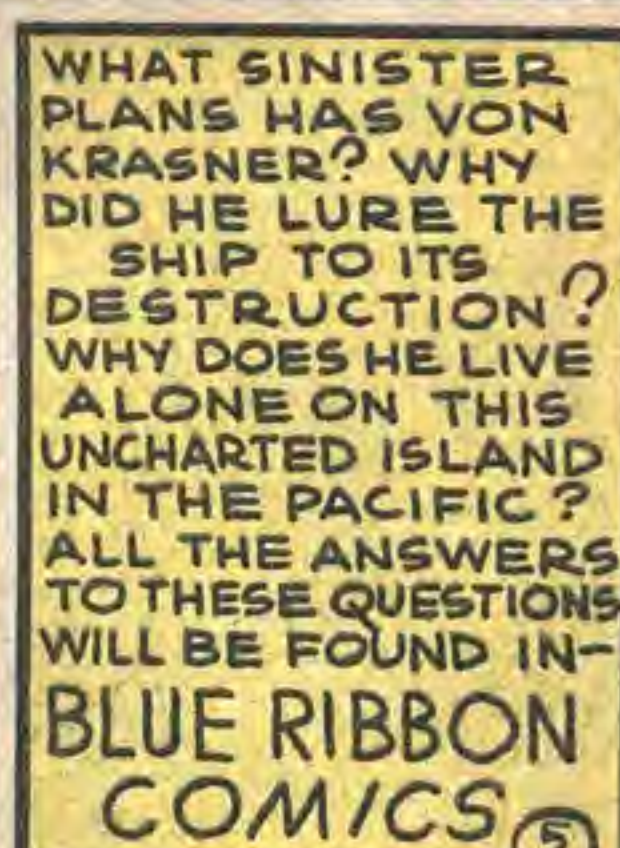
OH! LET'S
GET OFF THIS
BOAT!

LOOK! ONE
OF THOSE
CRANES HAS
GIVEN WAY!
NOW'S OUR
CHANCE!

NOW
DON'T
FORGET!
GRAB
FOR THAT
CRANE,
AND
HOLD ON
TIGHT!

WHAT
NOW?
GYPSY!

YOU'VE
GOT ME!
DO YOU
KNOW
ANY
GOOD
JOKES?



THE SECRET OF THE SHIELD REVEALED SHIELD WIZARD COMICS
IN
WATCH FOR IT AT YOUR NEWSSTAND!

THE

FOX

TO THE STAFF OF THE DAILY GLOBE, PAUL PATTON IS JUST ANOTHER PHOTOGRAPHER—BUT IN HIS BLACK UNIFORM WITH A PHOSPHORUS-PAINTED FOX HEAD ON HIS CHEST, AND A CANDID CAMERA CONCEALED THERE, PAUL HAS BECOME A TERROR TO THE UNDERWORLD!

BY
IRWIN HASEN
AND
JOE BLAIR

THE GREAT TRAILER MYSTERY

WHAT! DICK VAN NOSTRUM, THE MILLIONAIRE'S SON! KIDNAPPED? HOLY SMOKE! HOLD THE PRESSES!

IN THE OFFICES OF THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY GLOBE.

MAYBE I CAN GET SOME GOOD PICTURES.

THIS IS A JOB FOR VETERANS! YOU KIDS STAY OUT!

RUTH RANSOM, GIRL REPORTER, AND PAUL PATTON ASK FOR ASSIGNMENTS.

THERE'S BEEN AN ACCIDENT AT A RAILROAD CROSSING. A TRAIN SMACKED A SEDAN—GET SOME PIX OF THAT!

TSK! TSK!

NEVER MIND, RUTH, STICK WITH ME AND WE'LL HAVE A STORY YET!

YOU SHOULD BE A RADIO COMEDIAN—YOU'RE AS FUNNY AS THAT!

THEY GET A ROUTINE ASSIGNMENT...

AS THEY DRIVE TO THE SCENE OF THE ACCIDENT.



WELL, HONEY, THERE'S THE WRECK!

I WONDER WHAT THOSE MEN ARE DOING?



HURRY UP, PETE, SOMEBODY'S COMIN'!

I GOT THE PAPER! LET'S GO!



DID YOU GENTLEMEN SEE IT HADDEN?

WE'RE TRAVELING SALESMEN, LADY



AND WE'RE TRAVELIN' NOW!



WHAT A MAN! - ONE PUNCH PATTON - PHOOEY!

KNOWING THE THUGS HAVE GUNS AND FEARING FOR RUTH'S SAFETY, PAUL PLAYS POSSUM.....



THOSE MEN WERE SUSPICIOUS LOOKING - AND I SAW A HITCHING JIGGER FOR A TRAILER!

THAT CAR HAD A TRAILER-HITCH ON THE REAR BUMPER! HM! I WONDER!

BOTH ARE SILENT DRIVING HOME.



SORRY IT TURNED OUT THIS WAY, RUTH!

THAT'S ALL RIGHT, DEMPSEY! - DON'T LEAD WITH YOUR CHIN NEXT TIME!

A TRAVELING MAN DIED IN THAT WRECK!
I HAVE A HUNCH HE WAS KILLED BECAUSE
HE KNEW SOMETHING! THIS IS A
JOB FOR THE
FOX!



HAVING SEEN RUTH SAFELY HOME, PAUL
SPEEDS TO HIS APARTMENT!

THIS'LL GET
FLASH PICTURES
IN ANY
KIND OF
LIGHT!



PAUL, IN HIS APARTMENT, DONS
HIS CANDID CAMERA!

YAH! YAH! YAH!
SAID THE LITTLE
FOX---



THE EYES OF THE PAINTED FOX'S HEAD
PROVIDE OPENINGS FOR THE LENS
AND THE FLASH BULB!

THE FOX SWINGS INTO ACTION!



**WORLD'S LARGEST
TRAILER CAMP**
HERE!
THIS IS THE
PLACE, DRIVER.
LET ME OUT
HERE!



MEANWHILE, RUTH RANSOM
HIRES A TAXI CAB!

THAT'S THE CAR
THOSE MEN DROVE
AWAY IN!



RUTH MAKES A DISCOVERY!

LUCKY WE SAW
HER FIRST!

TIE HER UP AND PUT
HER IN THE TRAILER!



WITHOUT WARNING, RUTH IS SEIZED BY THE THUGS.

THE FOX ARRIVES IN THE
TRAILER CAMP!



I'LL HAVE TO HURRY-IF THAT CAR'S HERE, I WON'T BE ABLE TO RECOGNIZE IT WHEN THE SUN GOES DOWN!

JUST AT THAT MOMENT ---!

C'MON, PETE, THEY CAN'T GET OUT!

YEAH, I'M HUNGRY, LET'S EAT!

AHA! THERE'S THE CAR HITCHED TO A TRAILER-AND THERE GO THOSE TWO TOUGH MONKEYS!

I DON'T KNOW WHAT'S IN HERE, BUT I'M GOING TO FIND OUT!

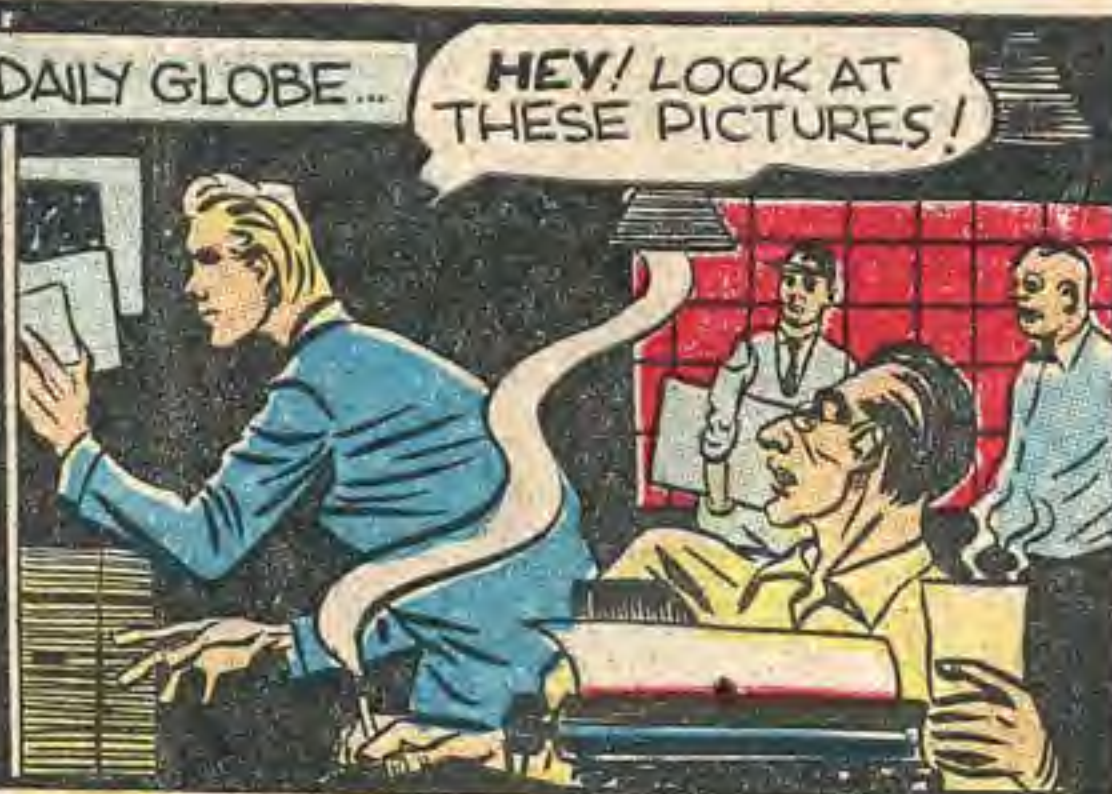
TALLY HO! THE FOX! ANYBODY HOME?

THE FOX ENTERS THE TRAILER!

WHERE'S THE LIGHT SWITCH-AH! THERE! WHAT TH-! IF IT ISN'T THE STAR REPORTER! WHO'S YOUR FRIEND?

-AS THE FOX SWITCHES ON THE LIGHTS!





Corporal COLLINS 'INFANTRYMAN'



by *Bird*
and SUNDELL

CORPORAL COLLINS, TWO-FISTED AMERICAN, IS THE MOST ENVIED SOLDIER IN THE ENTIRE FRENCH ARMY. TIME AND AGAIN HE HAS REFUSED THE PROMOTION THAT HIS SPECTACULAR FIGHTING ABILITY HAS MORE THAN EARNED FOR HIM.



IN A PRISON CAMP BEHIND THE FRENCH LINES, SOME GERMAN PRISONERS MAKE A SPECTACULAR BREAK FOR LIBERTY.

THERE'S ANOTHER BREAK AT THE PRISON, GENERAL!

WHAT-AGAIN!

GENTLEMEN, THIS SITUATION CALLS FOR DI-ASTIC MEASURES!

WE NEED THE BEST MAN IN THE ARMY AS WARDEN.

YOU SAID IT. GET CORPORAL COLLINS!

LATER.





IT WON'T BE LONG NOW- WE'RE GOING TO MESS.



THAT'S ALL I WANTED TO KNOW!



3 PM - WELL, HERE GOES!



WHEEE
WHEEE

ANOTHER BREAK! GRAB THIS GUN - SLAPSIE!



DON'T FIRE - LET 'EM GO - I WANT TO TRAIL 'EM.

HUH?

?



I USTA BE A DETECKATIF, CORPORAL, KIN I GO WITCHA!

OKAY - IF YOU STAY OUTA TROUBLE.



?



HEY!

WOW - AN ATTACK! A GERMAN TANK!

A CAPTURED GERMAN TANK IS BEING BROUGHT TO THE PRISON GARAGE FOR REPAIRS . . .



HEY - WHAT'S COME OVER SLAPSIE?

BANG
BANG



CRASH

BANG

I'LL GET THE CROIX DE GUERRE FOR THIS, SURE



GIVE 'IM THE BUSINESS, PIERRE!

BANG
BANG

CHUCK



WHAT THE
COUGH
COUGH!

PERRRR



HEAVY
GREASE



?



HAW-HAW-HAW!
GUESS I'LL HAVTA
GO AFTER THOSE
PRISONERS
ALONE.



THIS IS THE ROAD
THEY TOOK- THEY
CAN'T BE FAR
AHEAD.



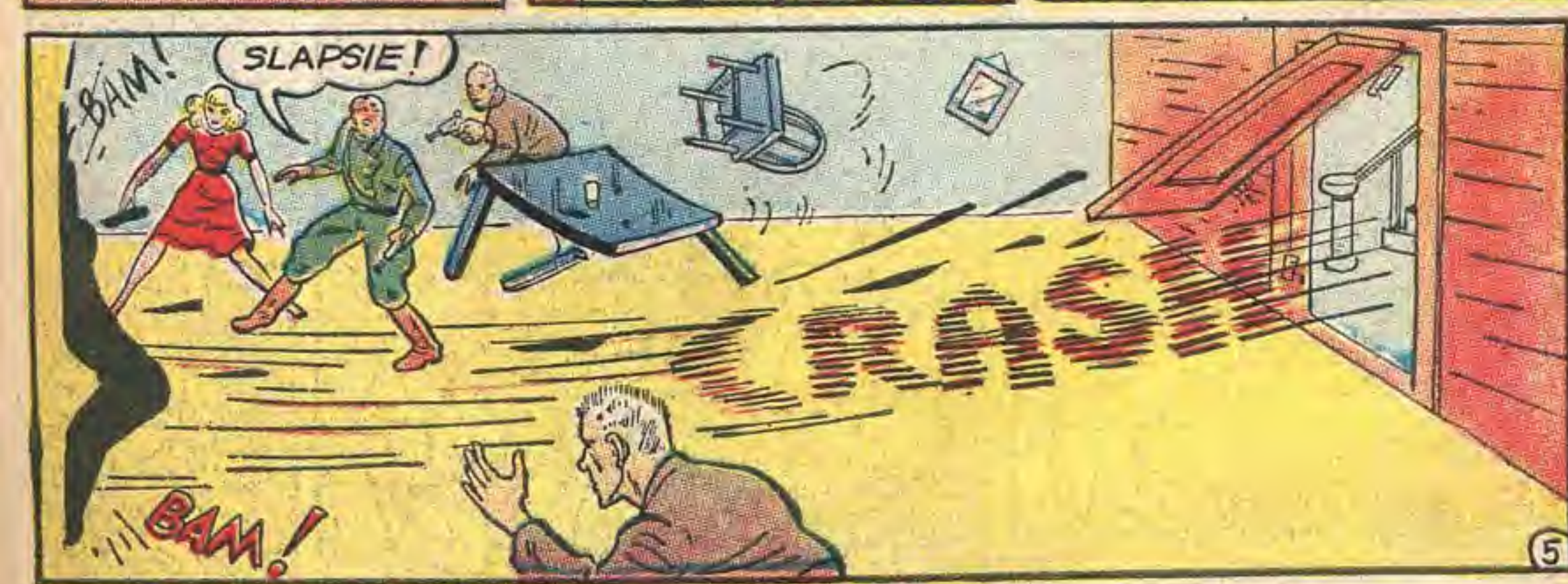
THERE THEY GO- INTO
THE BASEMENT OF THAT
BAKE SHOP ON THE
EDGE OF TOWN.



I DID MY JOB-
AM I FREE
NOW?

PUFF
PUFF

NO
FRAULEIN,
I HAVE ONE
MORE JOB
FOR YOU!







D'YA THINK I'LL GET THE CROIX DE GUERRE CORPORAL? AFTER ALL, IF I DIDN'T FALL INTO THAT BARREL OF GREASE--



WE FIND ALL THE PRISONERS... GUILTY... THEY WILL BE SHOT AT DAWN!

THE SPIES ARE COURT-MARTIALLED.



AS FOR THE SHE IS AS GU... AS THE RES... SHE TOO MU... DIE!



SHOOTING THAT GIRL! WHY THAT KID WAS FORCED INTO IT!



CAN'T LET THAT KID DIE... I GOTTA DO SOMETHIN'!

ALL THROUGH THE NIGHT



SWAP



I GOT IT! GET OUT YOUR PEN AN' PAPER, AN' START WRITIN' SLAPSIE

WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA?



BANG

THAT MUST BE THE OTHERS--



YES I KNOW-- I'LL BE BRAVE.



READY AIM

?

DON'T SHOOT! I'VE GOT A PARDON!



YOU DIDN'T GET HERE A SECOND TOO SOON-- BY THE WAY, HOW DOES GENERAL SCHOFF SPELL HIS NAME?

GOOD-BYE!



GOSH, HOW SHOULD I KNOW THE GENERAL SPELLS HIS NAME WITH TWO F'S

MORE RIP-ROARING... ACTION-PACKED... SIDE-SPLITTING CORPORAL COLLINS ADVENTURES IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF **BLUE RIDGEO COMICS**

DIPSY AND DOODLE

BY QUINCY

GET OVER TO THE TOWN BANK AND GRAB A FEW CROOKS. THE PRESIDENT JUST PHONED. HE EXPECTS A HOLD-UP.

YESSIR—CONSIDER THEM AS GOOD AS JAILED IN THE JUG!

MEBBE BETTER

P.D.
TODAY'S SCORE:
COPS 3/4
ROBBERS 5/6
FOUND
LOST

IF WE CATCH THOSE CROOKS IT'LL BE A FEATHER IN OUR HATS

YEAH—AN' IF WE DON'T IT'LL BE A COUPLA BUMPS

THERE'S OUR QUARRY SNEAKIN' IN THE FRONT

LET'S ATTACK—YOU FIRST.

BANK

BANK

NO YOU DON'T

WOT TH'?

WE'RE THE LAW, ROBBER.

HERE YA ARE CHIEF. ONE BANK BANDIT SEALED AND DELIVERED.

HE PUT UP AN' AWFUL FIGHT BUT WE OUTWITTED HIM WITH A BLACK-JACK

GLUG-AW-R-K PULEW

P.D.

WEATHER
PROBABLY
FOLLOWED BY
THURSDAY

WANTED
CL

LINK HEADS—THIS HAPPENS TO BE THE PRESIDENT OF THE BANK?

BUT IF THEY KEEP US IN JAIL WE'LL NEVER CATCH ANY CROOKS

YEAH—BUT ANYWAY NOW THE CROOKS CAN'T CATCH US

TY-GOR

**SON OF
THE
TIGER**

TYRONE GORMAN, CAPTURED WHEN A BABY, BY SAVAGE MALAYS, AS A SACRIFICE TO THE TIGERS, WAS RAISED BY A TIGRESS AS HER OWN CUB....

THE ONLY WORDS HE KNOWS ARE THE FIRST SYLLABLES OF HIS FIRST AND LAST NAME

ONE MORNING,
WHILE TY-GOR
AND MALMA
WRESTLE
PLAYFULLY...

THE DREADED DYAK
TRIBESMEN APPROACH

SUDDENLY-THE TIGRESS AND
THE BOY CATCH THE
SCENT.....

UNAWARE OF THEIR DANGER,
THEY PLAY ON.....

THEY DASH THROUGH THE GRASS
WITH THE DYAKS IN PURSUIT....

BACK-TRACKING THE TRAIL, A
FAVORITE TRICK OF TIGERS,
SENDS THE DYAKS AHEAD....



TY-GOR AND MALMA
NOW STALK THE
HEAD HUNTERS....



TY-GOR AND
MALMA CREEP
CLOSER, TO
DISCOVER THE
CAUSE OF THIS
STRANGE
BEHAVIOR--



THE DYAKS
SUDDENLY TAKE
COVER....



NICE
COUNTRY
THROUGH
HERE,
JOAN!

I FEEL
CREEPY
THOUGH,
DAD



THEY SPY
A SAFARI COMING ALONG
THE NARROW TRAIL....

AMBUSHED!!
DYAK
HEAD
HUNTERS!



MALMA AND TY-GOR WATCH
THE DYAKS LEAD THEIR VICTIMS
AWAY....



THE DYAKS ARRIVE
IN THEIR VILLAGE



THE SAVAGE CHIEF PROPOSES
TO BENEAD THE WHITES....

DAD, I'M
SO
FRIGHTENED!!

THIS IS THE END..
... BE BRAVE!



TY-GOR DECIDES
THAT ENEMIES
OF THE HEAD
HUNTERS MUST
BE FRIENDS
OF HIS.....



HE SWINGS
HIMSELF INTO
THE TREES TO
GET A BETTER
VIEW.....

CONCEALED
IN THE
DENSE
FOLIAGE,
TY-GOR
SHOUTS
AT THE
TOP OF
HIS
VOICE!

TY-GOR!
TY-GOR!



THAT SOUNDS
LIKE A HUMAN
VOICE!



THE DYAKS
ARE STARTLED
BY THE
VOICE OF
TY-GOR...



SILENTLY, TY-GOR SWINGS TO
ANOTHER TREE.....

FROM HIS NEW
VANTAGE POINT HE
SHOUTS AGAIN!

TY-GOR
TY-GOR!



THE DYAKS HEAR THE VOICE FROM ANOTHER TREE....

NOW IT'S FROM OVER THERE!

THERE'S MORE THAN ONE!



THE DYAKS BELIEVE THEY ARE SURROUNDED....

THEY'RE RUNNING AWAY!

SEE IF YOU CAN WORK YOUR ROPES LOOSE.



AS TY-GOR STARTS TO SWING TO ANOTHER TREE...

THE VINE SNAPS...



TY-GOR IS STUNNED AS HE STRIKES THE GROUND....



THE NATIVES RUSH TO SEIZE HIM...



REJOICING IN THEIR DISCOVERY, THE DYAKS PREPARE FOR A TRIPLE KILLING -

IT'S A WHITE BOY!!

LIKELY HIS VOICE WE HEARD -



TY-GOR IS BORNE INTO THE DYAK'S CAMP!



THE SAVAGE
HEADSMAN
DECIDES TO SLAY
TY-GOR
FIRST.....



BUT TY-GOR HAS MANAGED TO WORK
THE STAKE OUT OF THE GROUND



HE LURCHES FORWARD FELLING THE SAVAGES..



TY-GOR
TY-GOR!

...BUT THE DYAK
SPEARMEN ARE
TAKING CAREFUL
AIM.....



THE CHIEFTAIN IS
FELLED BY THE
FLAILING STAKE

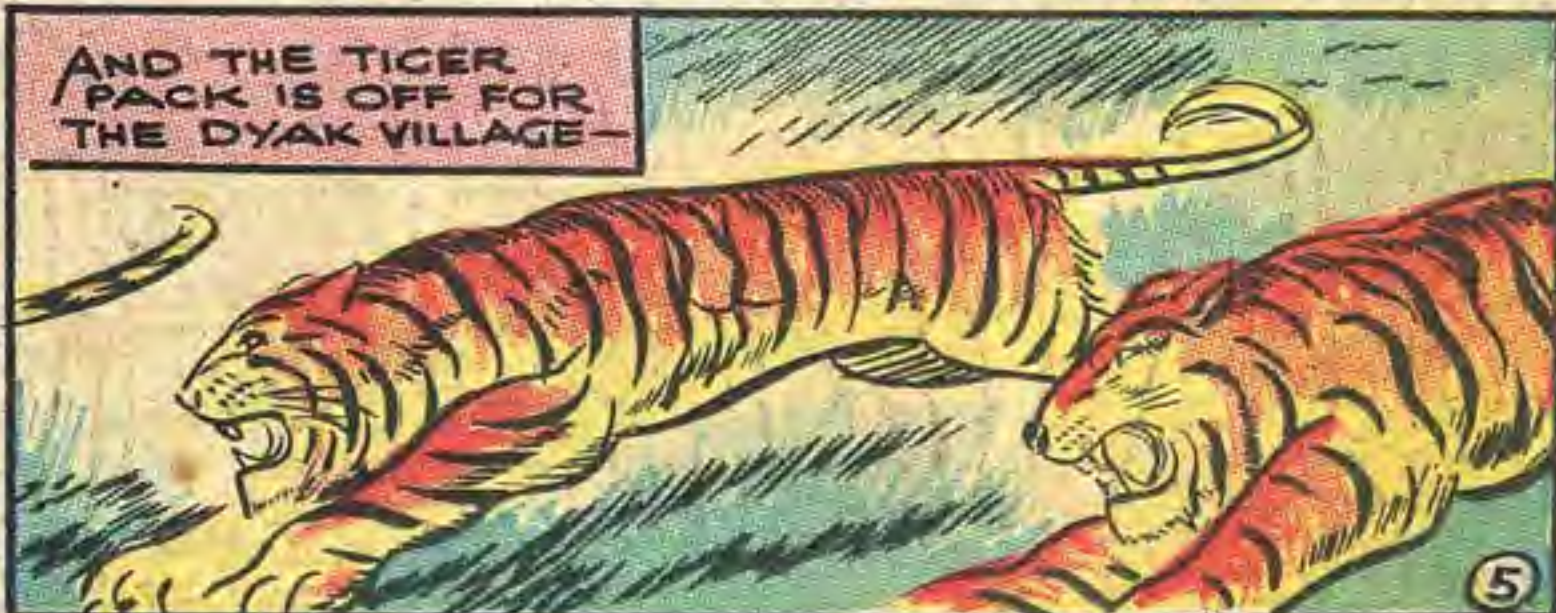
BUT NOT
FAR
AWAY
A PACK
OF TIGERS
HEAR
TY-GOR'S
CALL!



AT MALMA'S APPEARANCE,
THEY ARE READY FOR
ACTION.....



AND THE TIGER
PACK IS OFF FOR
THE DYAK VILLAGE—



THE TIGERS BURST
UPON THE
SCENE.....



TIGERS!!
WE'LL BE
EATEN
ALIVE!!

NO! LOOK
AT THAT
JUNGLE
BOY!!



TY-GOR ORDERS THE
TIGERS TO SPARE THE
WHITE EXPLORERS...

THE TIGERS ATTACK
WITH SAVAGE
FURY....



TY-GOR!

CAN'T YOU SAY
ANYTHING BUT
THAT?



TY-GOR FREES THE EXPLORER AND HIS
DAUGHTER...

THAT'S TO
REMEMBER
ME BY!!



I HATE TO
LEAVE
HIM,
DAD

WE'LL
SEE HIM
AGAIN
SOME
DAY, I
HOPE!



GOOD BYE
TY-GOR!



MORE ADVENTURES
OF TY-GOR, SON
OF THE TIGER, IN
THE NEXT ISSUE
OF
Blue Ribbon Comics



by S. COOPER

IN THE YEAR 2041, AFTER 100 YEARS OF DEVASTATING WAR, THE EXHAUSTED WORLD FALLS PREY TO VAST HORDES OF ASIATIC BARBARIANS, LED BY GUSTAVE RITTER. BUT DOC. STRONG, ONE OF CIVILIZATION'S LAST REMAINING SCIENTISTS, AND A FEW BRAVE MEN AND WOMEN, START A NEW WORLD ON THE ISLE OF RIGHT, IN AN ATTEMPT TO RESTORE LIBERTY, JUSTICE AND PEACE TO A WORLD IN CHAOS. DOC. STRONG'S MAIN WEAPON IS THE SHADOWGUN, A GUN WHICH FIRES A GAS BULLET THAT FREEZES A SHADOW IMPRISONING THE PERSON WHOSE SHADOW IT IS.

SAFELY RETURNED TO THE ISLE OF RIGHT WITH THE PRISONERS RELEASED FROM RITTER'S GRASP, DOC. STRONG PLANS FOR THEIR FUTURE.



THE ONLY WAY TO OVERTHROW RITTER IS TO COLONIZE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD AND GRADUALLY RESTORE CIVILIZATION!

THOSE MEN WE RESCUED FROM RITTER WILL COLONIZE OCULTA VALLEY!



THE PARTY SETS OUT TO ESTABLISH AN ADVANCE POST OF THE ISLE OF RIGHT. ①

THEY ARRIVE AT OCULTA VALLEY.



DOC SHADOW GUNS THE VALLEY'S BARBARIAN INHABITANTS!



WE'LL RELEASE THEM LATER AND ESCORT THEM OUT OF THE VALLEY.

THE COLONISTS PREPARE FOR THEIR FIRST NIGHT IN THEIR NEW HOME.



RITTER WILL SOON STRIKE BACK. WE MUST KEEP WATCH. I WILL TAKE THE FIRST AIR PATROL ALONE!

LET ME COME WITH YOU.. DON'T GO ALONE.



ALL RIGHT. I DON'T EXPECT ANYTHING DANGEROUS ON THIS FLIGHT.

EDWARD STUYVESANT IS JEALOUS OF DOC STRONG



IF STRONG WERE ONLY OUT OF THE WAY, MAYBE ALICE WOULD LIKE ME BETTER. I'LL FOLLOW HIM. HE SAID HE WAS GOING ALONE.

MEANWHILE, DOC FLIES NEARER TO RITTER'S ENCAMPMENT...



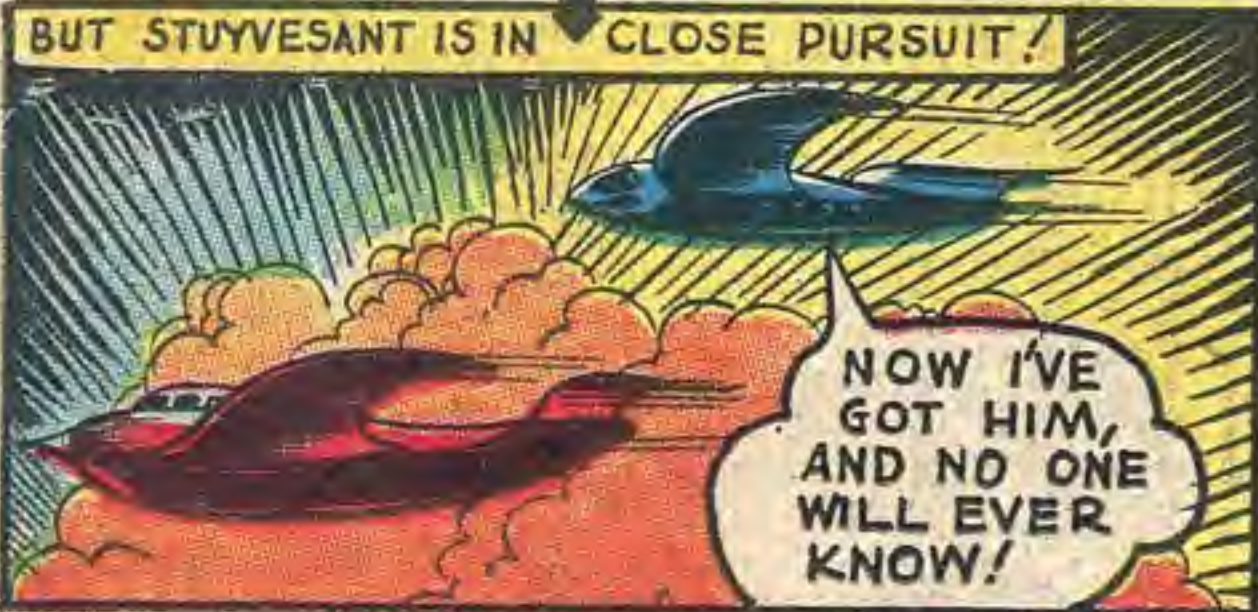
I DON'T SEE ANYTHING YET. DARN THESE BINOCULARS! THEY WOULD BREAK AT A TIME LIKE THIS!

THERE IT IS, DOC, LOOK!



LET'S FLY NEARER AND SEE WHAT THEY'RE UP TO!

BUT STUYVESANT IS IN CLOSE PURSUIT!

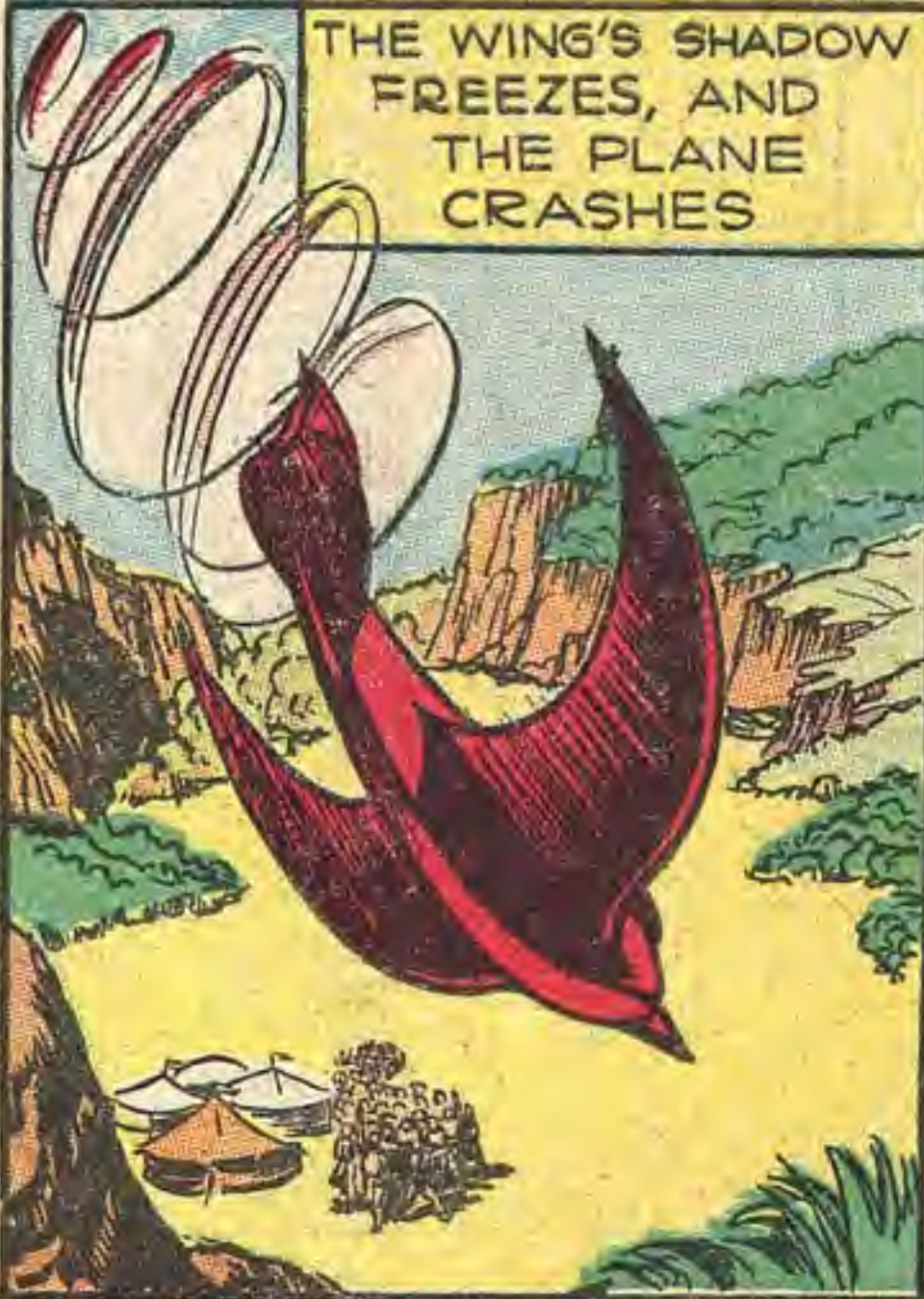


NOW I'VE GOT HIM, AND NO ONE WILL EVER KNOW!

STUYVESANT ATTACKS.... WITH THE .SHADOW GUN



THE WING'S SHADOW
FREEZES, AND
THE PLANE
CRASHES



WE'RE SUNK..UNLESS WE
THINK OF SOMETHING.



MEANWHILE,
STUYVESANT,
UNAWARE
THAT ALICE
WAS ALSO IN
THE PLANE,
RETURNS
TO THE
VALLEY.

NOW WE'LL SEE
WHO'S THE BIG-SHOT!



DOC AND ALICE ARE BROUGHT BEFORE
THEIR ARCH-ENEMY, GUSTAVE RITTER...

I WANT TO SEE YOU DIE SLOWLY!
GIVE HIM THE 'SLOW GARROTTE'!



DOC IS BOUND WITH STRETCHED,
WET-LEATHER THINGS.



THE SUN'S
HEAT WILL
SHRINK
THOSE
THINGS
AND SLOW-
LY STRANGLE
YOU TO DEATH!

SHOW ME
HOW TO
WORK THE
SHADOW GUN!

NEVER!

RITTER TURNS HIS
ATTENTION TO ALICE...



3



MAYBE
YOU'LL SPEAK
WHEN YOUR
TURN COMES!

THE TIGHTENING THROGS GRIP
EVER CLOSER TO DOC'S NECK.



I MUST
THINK OF
SOMETHING --
WAIT A MINUTE!
THE BROKEN
LENS!

THERE!
NOW IF
I CAN
GET IT
INTO
MY
HANDS!



DOC WORKS THE
BINOCULAR LENS
OUT OF HIS
POCKET---

DOC
STRONG
FOCUSSES
THE
LENS
ON
HIS
BONDS!



I THINK
IT'S
BURNING
THROUGH!

THAT DOES IT!
GRAB THE
GUN, ALICE!



I'VE GOT IT!



AMAZED AT DOC STRONG'S MAGIC IN
BREAKING HIS BONDS, THE BARBARIANS
REFUSE TO ATTACK HIM!

HERE DOC, I THINK YOU'VE
GOT THEM
'BUFFALOED'.



RITTER HEAPS SCORN UPON
HIS FOLLOWERS.



COWARDS!!
AFRAID OF
ONE MAN!

WHY DON'T
YOU ATTACK
HIM, KHAN
RITTER?

YOU DARE TO QUESTION YOUR KHAN!





HERE'S A LITTLE WARMED STEEL FOR YOU-DOC STRONG!

DOC STRONG SHADOWS THE KNIFE IN MID-AIR!



THE BARBARIANS ARE AWED BY DOC'S MAGIC

LOOK! IT STANDS STILL IN THE AIR!



STAND BACK! SEE, THE GREAT BIRD COMES FOR ME!



THANK THE LORD WE'RE IN TIME!

DOC AND ALICE CLIMB TO SAFETY ABOARD THE SPACE PLANE!



STUYVESANT CONFESSED WHAT HE HAD DONE WHEN HE FOUND THAT ALICE WAS WITH YOU.

WE'LL DEAL WITH HIM AFTERWARDS. NOW WE MUST PREPARE FOR RITTER'S SURE ATTACK.



THE VALLEY CANNOT BE ENTERED ANY WAY BUT BY THIS PASS. WE CAN HOLD THEM OFF.

THEY FLY DIRECTLY TO OCULTA VALLEY AND SET UP THEIR DEFENSES!



RITTER ATTACKS!

USE THE MACHINE GUNS - THE SHADOW GUN IS USELESS ON A CLOUDY DAY!

HERE THEY COME. GET READY!

AGAIN AND AGAIN THE BARBARIANS ARE HURLED BACK, BUT THEY KEEP RETURNING TO THE ATTACK.



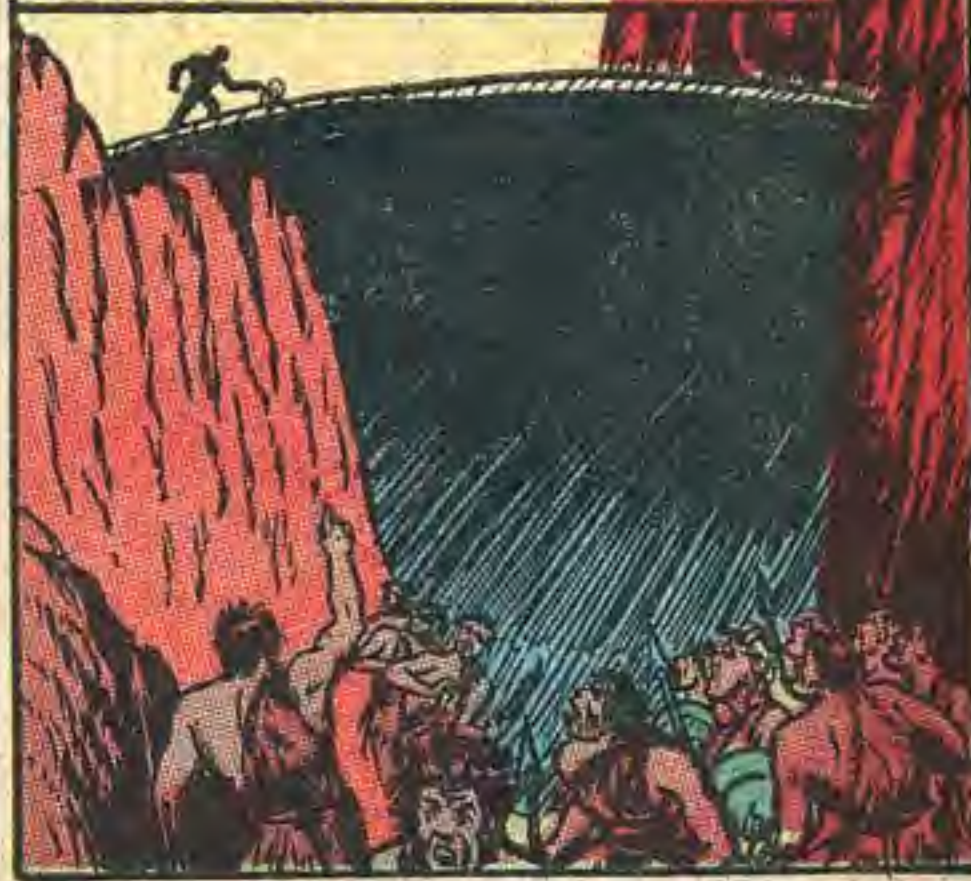
THEY'LL BREAK THROUGH BY SHEER WEIGHT OF NUMBERS! BUT I HAVE AN IDEA!



I CAN CREATE A WALL OF SOLID FROZEN SHADOW BY FIRING AT THE SHADOW OF THIS ROPE ACROSS THE CANYON!



THE BARBARIANS PAUSE IN FEAR AND ASTONISHMENT AT THIS NEW DISPLAY OF MAGIC...



.... AND FLEE IN TERROR!

I'VE CLOSED YOU OUT OF THE OCULTA VALLEY FOR GOOD, RITTER.

YOUR VALLEY MAY BE SAFE, BUT YOUR ISLAND IS IN OPEN WATER... I SHALL BUILD A FLEET AND BLAST YOU INTO THE SEA!



YOU'RE SAFE BEHIND THE SHADOW WALL. GOOD LUCK AND REMEMBER YOU ARE CIVILIZATION'S OUTPOST.



FOLLOW THE EXCITING ADVENTURES OF DOC. STRONG IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF **BLUE RIBBON COMICS**

LOOP LOGAN

Air Ace

JOE BLAIR
FRANK VOLP

LOOP LOGAN, AMERICAN COMMERCIAL FLYER, HAS JOINED THE FRENCH FORCES ON THE WESTERN FRONT. BECAUSE OF HIS SKILL AND DARING, HE HAS BEEN ADVANCED TO THE RANK OF CAPTAIN AND ASSIGNED TO A STRATEGIC AIR BASE BEHIND THE MAGINOT LINE.

LOGAN REPORTS TO HIS C.O.

LOGAN, ZE DEESPATCH PLANE, SHE IS TEN MINUTES LATE.

I'M READY TO FIND HER, SIR.



ZE DEESPATCHES CONCERN ALLIED OFFENSIVES. ZAT PLANE MUST BE FOUND!



LATER... FAR BEHIND THE ALLIED LINES

NO SIGN OF IT YET!
OH, OH, WHAT'S THAT!



LOGAN SIGHTS THE WRECK-AGE OF A FRENCH MORAINIE SAULNIER 405C.I.



LOOKS LIKE THE
GUY HAD TROUBLE.
ALL RIGHT!



NAZI TRACER
BULLETS DID
THIS JOB! BUT
WHERE'S THE
PILOT?



CAPITAINE!
CAPITAINE
LOGAN!



LIEUTENANT
ROGET!

MESSERSCHMIDT FORCE ME DOWN!
OFFICIAL AUTO COME AND TAKE DISPATCH
HE'S DEAD! WELL, PAPERS AND LEAVE
LIEUTENANT, I'LL TAKE UP WHERE
YOU LEFT OFF ME TO DIE!



LOOP TAKES OFF IN PURSUIT
OF THE AUTOMOBILE.

OFFICIAL AUTO TOOK THE PAPERS,
HUH? IF THEY WERE FRENCHMEN
THEY WOULDN'T
HAVE LEFT
ROGET TO
DIE!



ON A BACK-COUNTRY ROAD...

SOMETHING'S KICKING UP DUST DOWN
THERE! AND IT'S NOT A VACUUM
CLEANER, EITHER!



A FRENCH PLANE !!
KILL DER PIG!
OPEN FIRE!

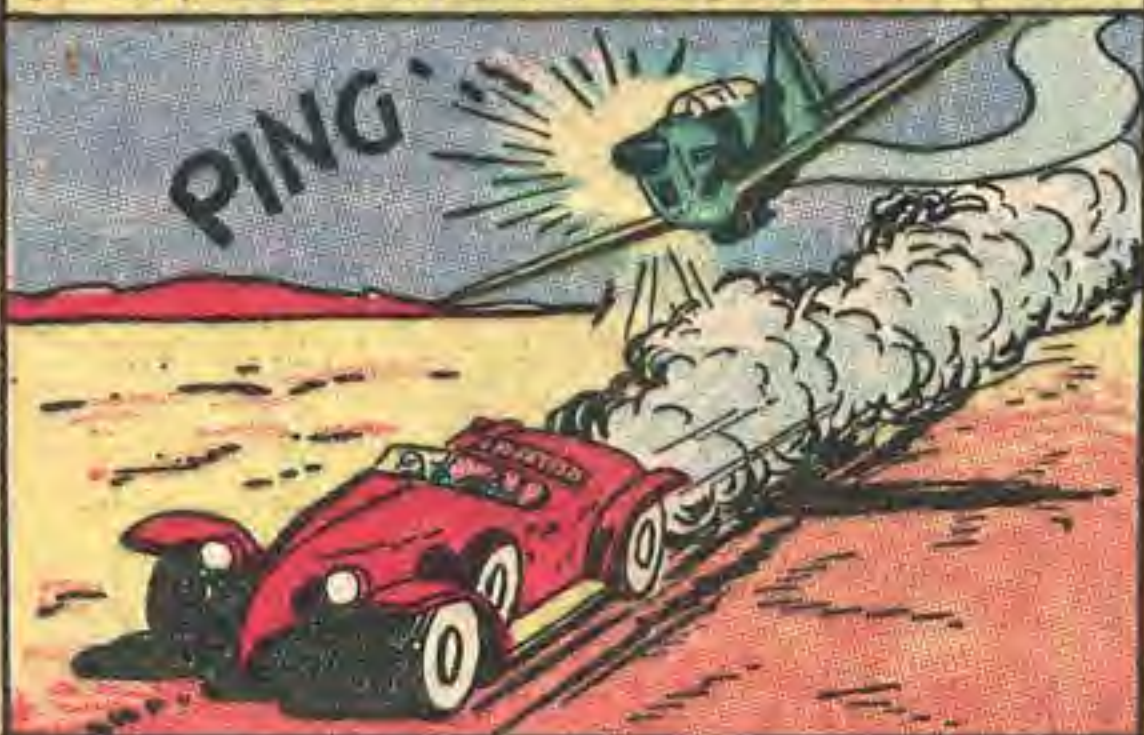


AS
LOOP
SWOOPS
LOWER,
THE
GERMAN
FIRES
POINT-
BLANK
AT HIS
PROPEL-
LOR.



A HIT! LOGAN'S PLANE GOES OUT OF CONTROL

PING!



BUT
NOT
BEFORE
HE
SIDE-
SLIPS
INTO
THE
SIDE
OF THE
CAR.

CRASH!



A FEW SECONDS LATER...

OKAY, HEINIES - WHAT COMES OFF NEXT?

IT'S AN
AMERIKANER!

GOOT! VE TAKE
HIM VIT' US!
MAYBE HE HAS
SOME VALUABLE
INFORMATION



TAKEN
PRISONER,
LOOP IS
FORCED
TO ACCOM-
PANY
THE
SPIES!

DIS ISS DER
FIELD, HANS!
ANHALTEN!

HOW DO YOU
EXPECT TO GET
THOSE DISPATCHES
TO GERMANY?



YOU SEE DER
PLANE? VE
GIVE DER
PAPERS
TO HIM

ALL CAREFULLY
PLANNED, EH?

JA! CLEVER,
NO?



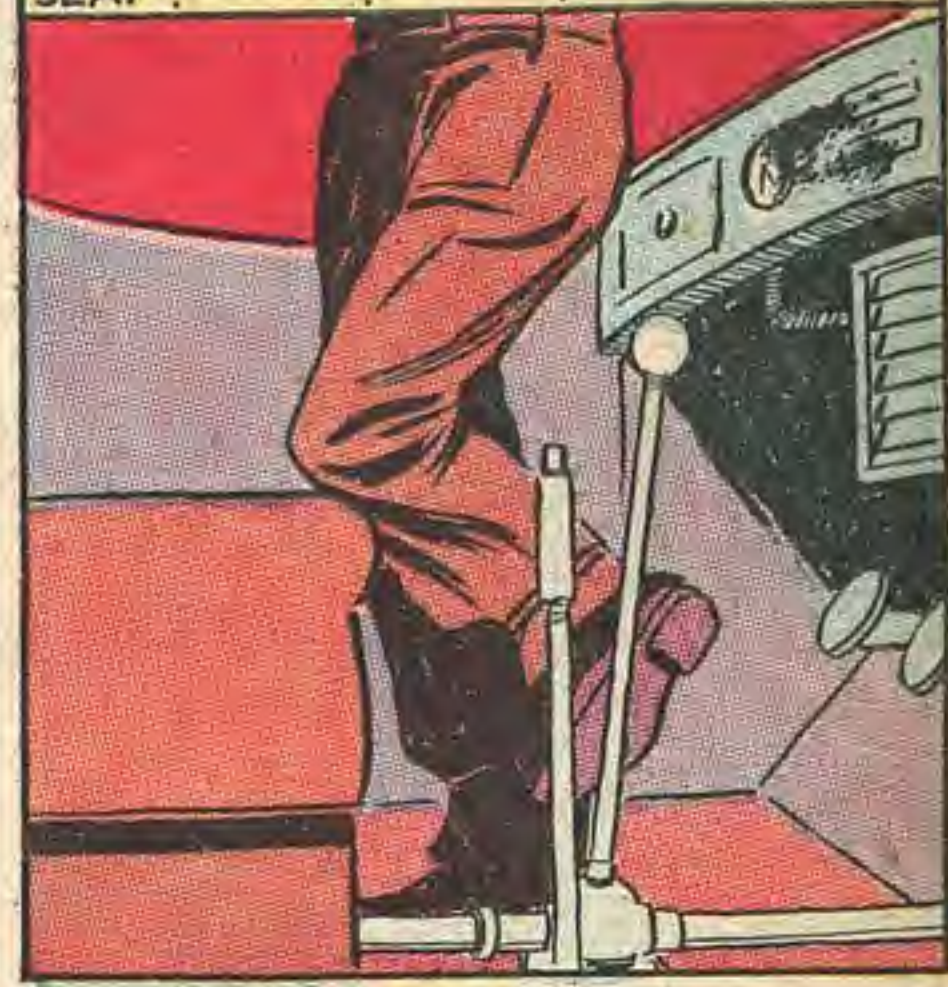
LEAVING HIS MOTOR RUNNING, THE DRIVER DASHES TOWARDS THE NAZI PLANE WITH THE DISPATCHES



DON'T WORRY, WIENER SCHNITZEL!

KEEP UP MIT DER HANDS!

LOOP EDGES TOWARDS THE DRIVER'S SEAT



KICKING THE GEAR SHIFT, AND JERKING THE CAR FOWARD, LOOP CATCHES THE GERMAN NAPPING.



HERE'S WHERE THAT GUN CHANGES HANDS!

ACH!

LOOP SPEEDS ACROSS THE FIELD TOWARDS THE GERMANS

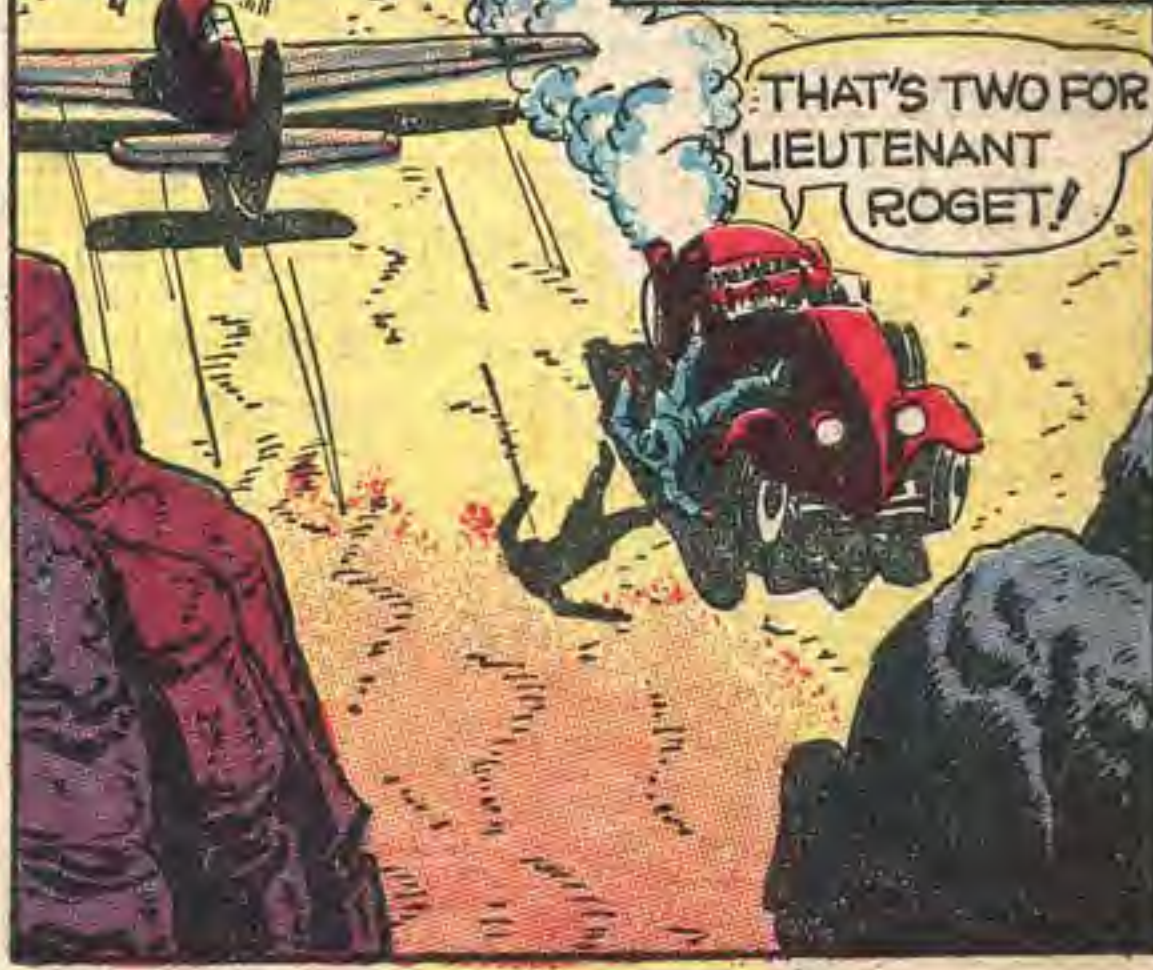


ONE DOWN—TWO TO GO!

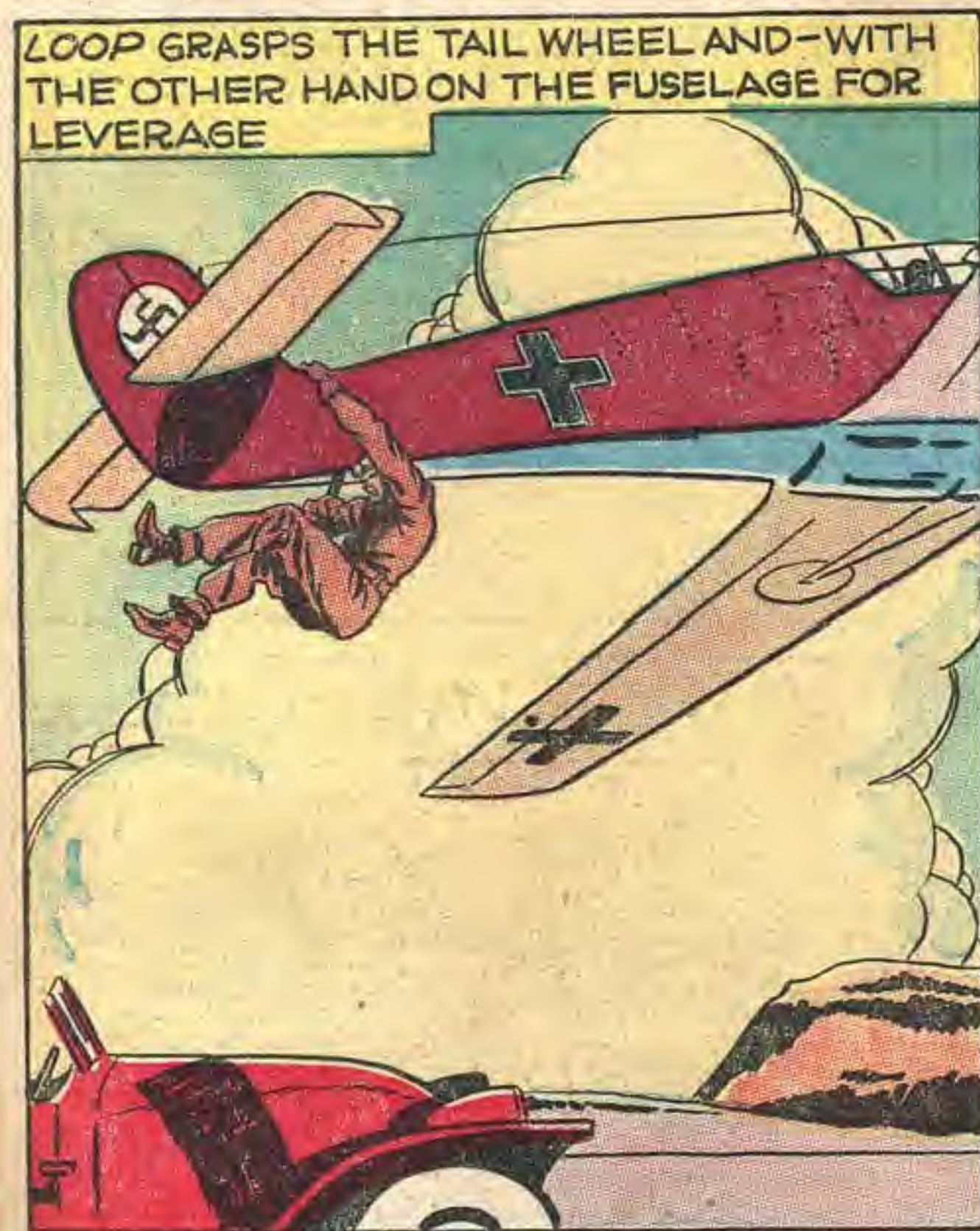


READY OR NOT, HERE I COME!

THE MESSERSCHMIDT GATHERS SPEED FOR THE TAKE-OFF.



THAT'S TWO FOR LIEUTENANT ROGET!





MOVE OVER!

DONNERWETTER!



NOW, TO GET THIS THING TO FLIGHT HEADQUARTERS!

CIRCLING OVER HIS OWN AIRDROME, LOOP'S NAZI PLANE IS FIRED UPON...



HE MANAGES TO HEAVE THE DISPATCH CASE OVER THE SIDE.



I WISH THEY'D LET ME LAND. THIS IS GETTING UNCOMFORTABLE!



ZEE DEESPATCH PAPERS! ZAT MUST BE LOGAN! STOP FIRING!

LOOP SETS THE SHIP DOWN SAFELY.



VIVE! VIVE - LOOP!



VIVE LE LOOP!

VIVE L'AMÉRICAIN!!



THANKS TO YOU, M'SIEUR, THE SPIES HAVE BEEN CAPTURED AND ZEE DEESPATCHES WILL LAUNCH AN ALLIED ATTACK!

AS FOR ME - I'D LIKE TO ATTACK A NICE STEAK! THAT GERMAN'S HEAD PUT AN AWFUL DENT IN MY BELLY!

MORE ACTION PACKED ADVENTURES OF LOOP LOGAN - AMERICAN ACE IN THE FRENCH AIR FORCE IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF - BLUE RIBBON COMICS

The GREEN FALCON

THE GREEN FALCON, A MYSTERIOUS KNIGHT OF THE FOURTEENTH CENTURY, HAS DEVOTED HIS LIFE TO THE RESTORATION OF RICHARD THE LION-HEARTED TO THE THRONE OF ENGLAND.... RICHARD HAS BEEN ABDUCTED BY THE SARACENS WHILE ON A CRUSADE, AND HIS EVIL BROTHER, PRINCE JOHN, WHO RULES ENGLAND DURING RICHARD'S ABSENCE, PLOTS TO PREVENT HIM FROM EVER RETURNING TO ENGLAND!

ENGLISH LEGIONS
MARCH TO FREE
THEIR KING...

AND WE
SHAN'T
RETURN
TO ENGLAND,
WITHOUT
RICHARD
AT OUR
SIDE!

THE FOOLS!
I SHALL SEE
TO IT THAT
RICHARD
NEVER
RETURNS
ALIVE!

SIR BOLTYN, LEADER OF
THE EXPEDITION, AND
TOOL OF PRINCE JOHN!

THE KNIGHTS PREPARE
TO CAMP FOR THE NIGHT.

THE SILENT, SLINKING
FIGURE OF SIR BOLTYN,
SNEAKS AWAY WHEN
HIS MEN ARE ASLEEP!

HE PROCEEDS TO A SARACEN CAMP, WHOSE SMOKE HE HAD SEEN IN THE DISTANCE ...

BY THE BEARD OF THE PROPHET!
AN UNBELIEVER!

I WISH TO SPEAK WITH YOUR LEADER!

THIS UNBELIEVER WOULD SPEAK WITH YOU, MIGHTY ULLA!

SIR BOLTYN CONSPIRES TO LEAD HIS KNIGHTS INTO A TRAP!

MY MEN SHALL WAIT AT THE MOUNTAIN PASS, SIR BOLTYN!

THE NEXT DAY— FOLLOW, BRAVE KNIGHTS.. THAT MOUNTAIN PASS WILL SAVE US MANY LEAGUES!

DEATH TO THE INFI-DELS!

TAKEN BY COMPLETE SURPRISE, AND WITH NO LEADER TO RALLY AROUND, THE KNIGHTS WAGE A LOSING BATTLE!

SUDDENLY, FROM A DISTANCE, AN ARROW FINDS ITS MARK IN THE HEART OF THE SARACEN CHIEFTAIN!

UGGH!

THE SARACENS SPRING THE TRAP!



RALLY!
BRAVE
KNIGHTS!
A BOON
FOR
RICHARD!

THE GREEN FALCON!



HEARTENED
BY THE
TIGERISH
FURY OF
THE GREEN
FALCON, THE
KNIGHTS
WREAK HAVOC
AMONG THE
SARACENS!

A BLIGHT ON JOHN
THE BUTCHER!



SARACEN REINFORCEMENTS APPEAR!



THE KNIGHTS RE-
TREAT IN THE FACE
OF THE SUPERIOR
FORCE!



THE
FALCON
LEADS
THEM TO
A DESER-
TED
CASTLE!

I KNOW
THIS
CASTLE!
WE SHALL
BE SAFE
FOR AWHILE!



INTO
THIS
ROOM
QUICK!



THE GREEN
FALCON HAS
LED US INTO
A TRAP!
WE SHALL
BE STARVED
OUT!

IT WAS
THE
ONLY
WAY
OUT!

LATER, THE KNIGHTS DIS-
CUSS THEIR PLIGHT...



WHILE THE
SARACENS
PREPARE FOR
A SIEGE.

THEY WILL
SOON HAVE
TO COME
OUT. THEY
HAVE NO
FOOD. WE
MUST SUR-
ROUND THE
CASTLE!

TWO DAYS LATER!

KILL THE GREEN FALCON! HE IS IN LEGION WITH THE SARACENS!

AYE! WE PERISH OF HUNGER AND THIRST!

WAIT! I SMELL SOMETHING! FOOD COOKING!

THAT FUNNEL LEADS TO THE TOP OF THE CASTLE. SOME SARACENS MUST BE POSTED THERE! I'M GOING UP!

THE GREEN FALCON DISCOVERS A CHIMNEY IN THE ROOM IN WHICH THEY ARE IMPRISONED.

THE GREEN FALCON RISKS DEATH AS HE INCHES HIS WAY UPWARD!

THE GREEN FALCON EMERGES INTO THE CHAMBER ABOVE AND SEES.....

THE SARACENS!

THE GREEN FALCON STRIKES.....

AND STAGES A SURPRISE ATTACK!

TH...THE GREEN FALCON AGAIN!

KILL HIM!

ONE OF THE SARACENS
MANAGES TO THROW
THE GREEN FALCON!



BUT THE GREEN FALCON
IS NOT YET DEFEATED!



THE SARACEN
HURTLES INTO
THE PIT, PAST
THE KNIGHTS
WHO HAD FOLLOWED
THE FALCON!



SHOOT
QUICK!

NO, LET
HIM
DIE!

SIR BOLTYN TRIES TO
RESTRAIN THE CRUSADERS
FROM SAVING THE
GREEN FALCON...



THE CRUSADERS
DEAL DEATH TO
THE SARACENS!



BUT TO NO AVAIL...
THE ARROW SPEEDS TRUE!



AFTER THE BATTLE...

THERE ARE MORE SARACENS OUTSIDE. CHANGE QUICKLY INTO SARACEN CLOTHES. WE WILL TAKE THEM BY SURPRISE! LATER WE MAY EAT!



THE DISGUISED CRUSADERS JOIN THE SARACEN FORCES!



BECAUSE...

WHY ARE YOU NOT AT YOUR POSTS?



....WE WOULD RATHER BE WITH YOU!



THE SURPRISE ATTACK OF THE KNIGHTS, SOON ROUTS THE SARACENS!



THE ACCURSED GREEN FALCON HAS RUINED EVERYTHING!

VICTORY! ANOTHER BLOW HAS BEEN STRUCK FOR RICHARD!



THE GREEN FALCON SHALL BE WITH YOU AGAIN WHEN YOU NEED HIM! FAREWELL!



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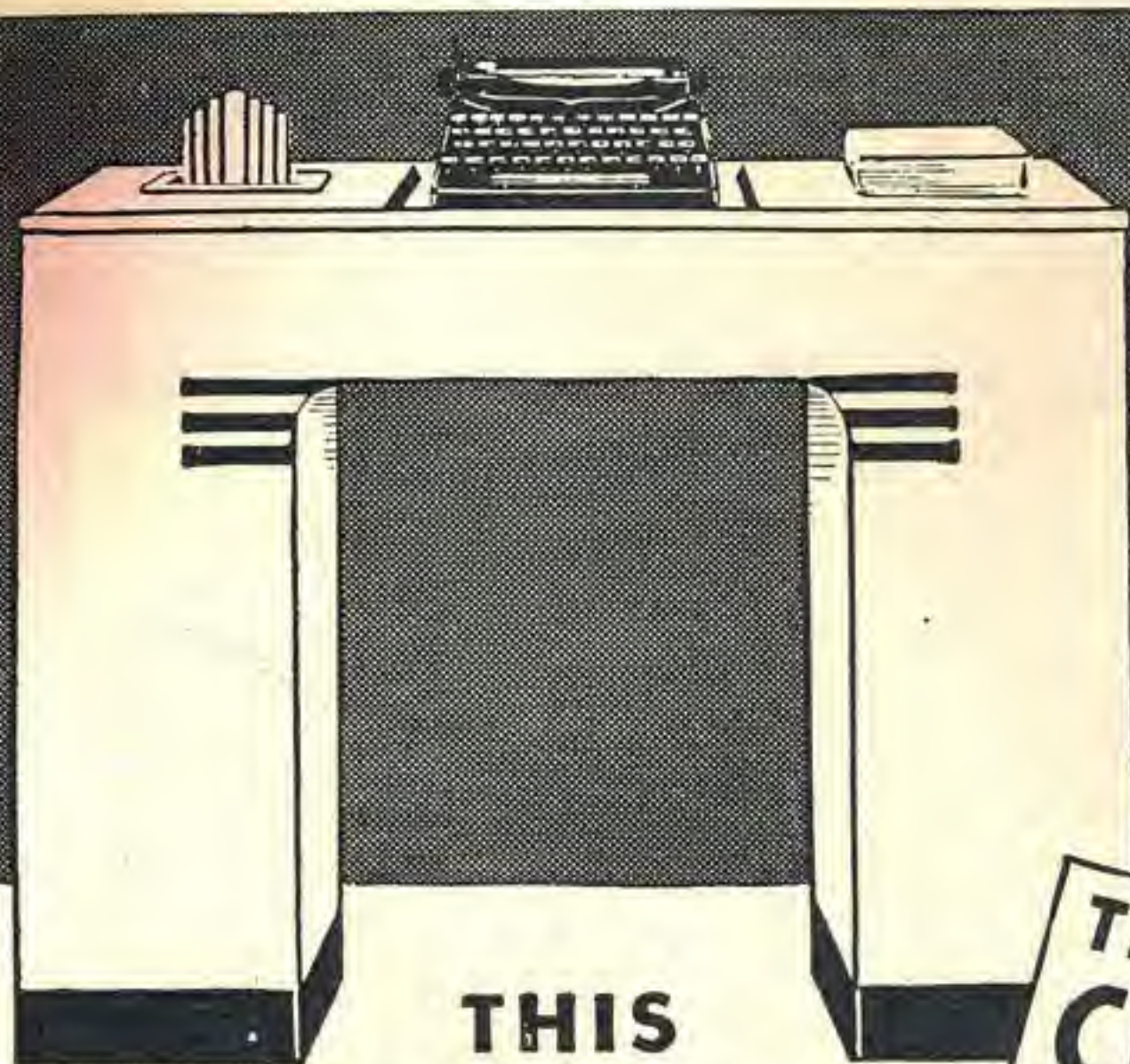
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